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## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The regular monthly meeting of council was held last Thursday night, all the members present.

John Woods and H. S. Pohe presented a petition protesting against that portion of the proposed ordinance requiring lamps to be used on all bicycles within the town limits after dark, and limiting the speed to six miles an hour.

On motion of Wilson and Gorrey this matter was laid on the table for one month.

B. F. Battin asked that pavement be put down and gutter put in on East Third Street.

D. W. Carter of the Jr. O. U. A. M. asked Council to grant said Order the privilege of the public highways on the Fourth of July for the purpose of selling eatables and badges, and to restrain outsiders and others from selling same on the streets.

Elias Furman asked Council that a suitable crossing be put in at the B. & S. Railroad leading to Ralston addition. The Committee on Highways were authorized to attend to the matter.

J. E. Wilson, chairman of the Street Committee, made a report that complaint was made of a smell at Main and Market Streets, that the gutter should be cleaned out and fixed near the 1st National Bank; gutter should be cobbled at Centre and 6th streets along B. F. Sharpless' property; the electric light at Third and Market does not burn more than about one-half the time and a reduction in price should be made in consequence there of; attention should be given as to correct grade on First street along property of Mrs. Millard; better protection or guards and filling in is needed at the Catharine Street bridge; Street Commissioner Housel should be required to report at every regular meeting as to the work he is doing; Wm. Neal's crossing is in a dangerous place, which he will fix if permission be given by Council.

On motion the report was adopted.

The Committee on Fire and Water, Messrs. Gorrey, Kester and Lockard submitted the following:

1st. We find that the Rescue Hook and Ladder Co. have the required number of members in good standing and are entitled to the appropriation.

2nd. We recommend that all the hose carriages, also the ladder of the Rescue Co. be repaired and put in proper shape.

3rd. We recommend the renting of a building or the erection of a new building below the railroad in the Fourth Ward to be used for the apparatus and hall for the Rescue Fire Co.

4th. We recommend that fire protection be given 2nd Ward or Scottown, also that all water plugs are in good working order before 4th of July and that all fire companies are requested to participate in the celebration of the 4th of July in Bloomsburg.

The report was adopted excepting the Rescue appropriation and the erection of a new fire building.

Daniel Laycock was authorized to serve the tax notices at a compensation of $10.

Wednesday, July 10th fixed upon as Appeal Day.

The Sanitary Committee reported as follows:

"The Sanitary Committee heard complaints from the tenants of C. W. Eves, in regard to the bad condition of sewerage of his houses corner of Catharine and Third streets. We made examination and reported by letter to him, who in reply sent his son. He with our advice procured the services of a plumber, and as far as we had knowledge, repaired the sewer and water closets, but left the cellars uncleaned and in an unhealthy condition, the overflow of water and sewerage the tenants say remain, which of necessity must create sickness. We suggested to him the importance of larger and more cellar windows all of which he has failed to do. Continued complaints come to us from the Wm. Rabb drain, but as your Committee had the matter in hand we feel that we are not responsible for his delay in having the connection made to sewer. Complaint has been made of the filling up of lot just opposite where you are now in session of the kind of rubbish dumped upon it. As both the other members of our Committee are absent from town, I do not feel it my duty to investigate said filling (not since it comes under our scope of duty); have been informed that said filling is not pure soil or even coal ashes, but all kinds of rubbish which of itself is very unsightly to passers by, especially in as public a locality where in a short time hundreds of strangers, both private and official men will be compelled to pass. We find by investigation from a complaint, that Mr. Jones who lives first door below Pensyl's store on Main street, has a chicken yard and coop with over one dozen grown fowls in the rear of his house, and close to the house and open porch of Jesse Hicks, also on the line of Mr. Smith's house on West street, and in close proximity to his rear kitchen door and windows, which complaint says in warm days and nights, the odor arising from said fowls and yard is almost sickening. As a general rule we are glad to report to your body that all parties complained of, had at once seen the necessity of cleaning up and have gone to work, all of which is respectively submitted.

I. W. HARTMAN, Chairman.

The report was approved.

On motion of Gorrey and Kester the owner of the lot opposite Town Hall is ordered to clean up said premises within ten days.

Building permits were granted to W. S. Fleckenstine, double house on Leonard St. E. B Tustin, house on Market St. Mrs. Frank Kline, house on West St. Mrs. Benshoff, house on Third St. Mrs. J. F. Peacock, house on Center St. J. N. Webb, for house on West street and one on Seventh. Joseph Ratti for repairs and addition to Silk Mill. C. A. Kleim asked for permission to relay his pavement in front of his drug store. This was referred to the committee on Highways.

The Superintendent of the Water Co. entered complaint about boys going in swimming in the creek just above the pumping station and wants it prohibited.

Council adopted a resolution that all persons are forbidden to go in swimming, within the town limits, without bathing suits on.

A petition was presented asking that Leonard Street be drained and grade given for pavements and that the Town accept said street from Second to the creek. Referred to Street Committee.

Bills were presented and ordered paid as follows:

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| J. E. Wilson, expenses to Shickshinny | $ 1.50 |
| J. H. Maize, Insurance | 36.00 |
| M. P. Lutz, Insurance | 36.00 |
| A. L. Bound, for stone | 69.75 |
| Water Co., fire hydrants | 86.67 |
| Steam Co., for heat | 21.13 |
| D. Laycock, constable, arrests, boarding, killing and burying bitch | 7.92 |
| F. Drake, killing bitch | 1.00 |
| Five Policemen | 60.00 |
| Secretary | 20.00 |

The bills of Moyer Bros. for cement. Demaree for lumber and E. J. Brown for sprinkling, were held over.

On motion of Lockard and Gorrey, a resolution was adopted asking the Governor to withhold his approval of the Electric Light bill now in his hands, and the solicitor to notify him of the action of the Council.

Adjourned.

## PROGRAM FOR COMMENCEMENT WEEK AT THE NORMAL.

Saturday, June 22, 8 P. M., Annual Address before the Literary Societies.

Sunday, June 23, 3 P. M., Baccalaureate Sermon, by Rev. H. W. Ennis, Washington, D. C.

Monday, June 24, 3 P. M., Grand Exhibition of Field Sports, and Gymnastics in which about 500 students will take part. This exhibition will be given on the new athletic field.

Monday, June 24, 8 P. M., Annual Junior Exhibition. Two of Howell's farces, "The Garrotters," and "The Unexpected Guests" will be presented by the Junior Class.

Tuesday, June 25, 3 P. M., Class Reunion, ('93).

Tuesday, June 25, 8 P. M., Class-Day Exercises, ('95.)

Wednesday, June 26, 10 A. M., Commencement.

Wednesday, June 26, 2 P. M., Annual Alumni Meeting and Banquet.

Special arrangements for reduced fare to those attending the exercises of commencement week have been made with the Penna. R. R., the D. L. & W. R. R., the L. V. R. R., the C. R. R., of N. J., and the Phila. & Reading R. R. Orders for reduced rate tickets can be had by addressing Prof. G. E. Wilbur, Secretary of the Faculty.

## IRONDALE SALE.

On Saturday afternoon H. A. McKillip, receiver, sold the Irondale plant to the Bloomsburg Water Co. for $26,000, at public sale, J. S. Williams, auctioneer. The plant includes the furnace, water power, one hundred acres of land, buildings, twenty-three tenement houses, &c.

A. C. DeShepperd bought the lot on Railroad street, for $420.

Some of the personal property was sold to various parties, and the sale adjourned until this Thursday, as to the balance.

## POSSIBLE MURDER AT WILKESBARRE.

WHAT WAS THOUGHT TO BE AN ACCIDENT MAY PROVE A TRAGEDY.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 16.—The most ingenious murder ever committed in this county came to light late this afternoon just as the coffin lid was closing over the victim and the pall-bearers were preparing to carry the coffin to the hearse. The victim, Andrew Yocksha, a prominent Hungarian boarding boss, had been killed by Anthony Gimitis, so that Gimitis could marry the widow, with whom he was in love. By a mere accident the murder was discovered just at the last moment. Gimitis has been in love with the wife for some time, but she would not encourage him, telling him she was a good wife and loved her husband. The men worked alone in connecting chambers in the Blackman Mine, having discharged their laborers on account of slack work.

On Friday afternoon Gimitis spread the alarm through the mine that his friend had been killed by a fall of coal. Several miners went to the place and extricated the body, which was under a heap of coal. It was carried to the home on a stretcher, and Undertaker William Roma was called in. In dressing the body he found the face badly burned and blackened, but he was surprised to find few bruises on the body, considering death was due to being crushed under coal.

The funeral was to have taken place this afternoon and a number of friends gathered at the house to attend the services. While waiting, Dr. Vernagis, a friend of the dead man, was talking with the undertaker, who mentioned to him the peculiar fact that the fall of coal had left no bruises on the body. The physician, who knew about Gimitis' partiality for the widow, suspected something was wrong and asked if an examination had been made. The widow said "No," and Vernagis objected to the body being carried out of the house until some physician had looked it over.

In order not to cause suspicion Vernagis said it was a mere form that was required by the authorities, and, the undertaker siding with him, the widow and friends reluctantly agreed to postpone the funeral for half an hour. Vernagis put all out of the room except the undertaker, and together they examined the body. Despite their suspicions they were amazed to find three bullet holes in it, one in the forehead, which had been effectually hidden by the face being burned, and two in the breast, which could not be seen by a casual examination on account of the hair. Startled by their find and anxious to get Gimitis arrested, they agreed upon a plan to avoid suspicion. Undertaker Roma announced that it was too late to hold the funeral on that day, while Vernagis sent for the police, who arrested Gimitis. The fellow was greatly affected and pleaded his innocence so volubly that the police are sure he is the right man. They now believe that the murder was committed because Gimitis thought he could marry the widow, that, being alone in the mine with Yocksha, he shot him and then, with his mine lamp burned and scorched the face to hide the wound in the forehead and give the impression that an explosion had occurred, and then piled a mass of coal over him and gave the alarm.

This evening, in searching the house, they discovered cartridges containing bullets the same size as found in Yocksha in Gimitis' trunk. They also believe that the wife is an accessory and that her grief has been assumed. She has also been arrested. They think she has hidden the pistol with which the deed was committed, but overlooked the cartridges.

## THE FOURTH AT STILLWATER.

Arrangements are being made for a glorious time at Stillwater on the coming Fourth. It will be under the auspices of W. C. No. 551 P. O. S. of A. Meals will be served on the grounds, good bands will furnish music, and several speakers will be present. Fred Ikeler Esq., will deliver the oration. A parade, tub race, sack walk and cake walk will be among the amusements. Sunday Schools, secret orders, and everybody, will participate in the proceedings of the day. A general invitation is extended by the committee in charge.

Geo. Aurand & Sons, proprietors of the Central Hotel, believe in keeping up with the times, and they have just had their hus done over, and repainted. It looks like a new vehicle. Everything about the Central is kept in good order.

## BRIEF MENTION.

### About People You Know.

P. B. Heddens spent Tuesday in Danville.

John M. Smith Esq., of Jerseytown was in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Holmes spent last week in Philadelphia.

G. W. Kelchner of Almedia spent a few hours in town on Monday.

Mr. J. A. Funston made a business trip to Sullivan county recently.

H. F. Sharpless and wife of Pueblo, Col., are visiting their relatives here.

E. L. Appleman of Wellversville, was among our visitors on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Harman spent a few days in Philadelphia during the past week.

Dr. J. W. Bruner has completed a special course in Philadelphia, and has returned home to resume his practice.

Miss Claire Whitmoyer has completed her studies at Packer Institute, Brooklyn, and returned home on Monday.

Montgomery Smith who is at home from college on vacation, started for Chicago on Wednesday.

Frank and Fred Ikeler Esqs., and Matthew McReynolds attended commencement at Lafayette College, Easton, this week.

Dr. H. G. Colley of Benton, who is traveling in Europe, is writing some interesting letters to the Benton "Argus."

Mrs. M. H. Clark and daughter Miss Mary returned from Harrisburg on Friday, after an absence of nearly three months.

Ex-sheriff Samuel Smith of Stillwater was in town on Monday making arrangements for the Fourth of July celebration at that place.

Dr. D. J. Waller stopped in town over Thursday. He was on his way home from Kutztown where he was one of the examining Committee at that Normal School.

G. E. Myers of Council Bluffs, Iowa, who founded the Catawissa News-Item, with his family, are visiting among their friends in Centralia.

Samuel McHenry of Rohrsburg, one of the substantial residents of Greenwood township, made a business trip to Bloomsburg on Friday.

Myron Geddes of Northumberland has accepted the position of solicitor for the American Book Company, whose business he will look after during the summer months.

Mrs. L. E. Waller, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Slate, Miss Lilla Sloan, Miss Bess Kuhn, W. C. Sloan and T. B. Hanly attended the June Assembly of Bucknell University at Lewisburg on Wednesday.

Mrs. H. C. Jamison and child of New York City, are spending the summer at New Columbus. She is the daughter-in-law of I. J. Jamison, formerly assistant editor of this paper.

A. Clarence Freas of Wilkes-Barre was in town several days this week, looking up the insurance business. His little daughter, Emily, has been a sufferer from a diseased limb for the past three months, and two operations have been performed. She is improving now, and hopes are entertained for her complete recovery.

David and Mabel Waller, son and daughter of Dr. D. J. Waller, arrived here last Saturday from Indiana Pa., and went into the examinations for entrance to the Senior Class. This was necessary under the rule that the students must be examined for the Senior class in the same school where they passed their Junior preparatory examinations.

Dr. P. J. Kress, of Centralia, who recently finished the course at Jefferson Medical College and graduated as M. D., passed the highest examination for entrance to the Wilkes-Barre City Hospital. He had his choice of either the above, the Lackawanna Hospital, at Scranton, or the Hazleton Hospital and he chose the assistant superintendency of the latter.

Mrs. J. P. Hannon was in town on Thursday. She has removed with her family from Conyngham township to 16 Mead Street, Wilkes-Barre. The death of her husband over a year ago, was a great blow to her, and now her youngest daughter, Josephine, is a victim of consumption, and her death is a matter of only a short time. Mrs. Hannon has many friends here who deeply sympathize with her in these afflictions.

W. C. Johnson, the able young superintendent of the public schools of Columbia county, spent last evening in town. Supt. Johnston conducted the Conyngham township examinations at the Central school house at Byrnesville yesterday. There were twenty-five students who underwent the ordeal. Supt. Johnson left early this morning for other points in his district.—"Ashland Advocate."

### The Quaker Evangelist.

Nearly four hundred men heard the service of song at Y. M. C. A. Tent last Sunday. It was pronounced the best song service ever given by the Association. Next Sunday afternoon the Quaker Evangelist, Mr. J. W. Dean, of Philadelphia, will address the meeting and we would like to have 500 men hear him. He is fine, and to get out to hear him is worth any sacrifice. The tent is a cool place to spend an hour. We venture at the hottest corner it was not over 75 degrees. It is cooler than the street corners and decidedly cooler than a long, hot walk into the country. Don't miss the Quaker Evangelist. Come with us. Services for men and women will be held every night next week.

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## INDIANS AT THE BATH.

### Red Men Who Use Steam and Enjoy a Cold Plunge.

**Explosion of the Theory That All Indians Are Dirty and Abhor Water—Columbia River Tribes Have the Turkish System in a Primitive Way.**

Indians do wash. That is some of them do. It is a curious fact that the Columbia river Indians believe as thoroughly in the efficacy of the hot-air bath and the sudden immersion of the body afterward in cold water as the Turks or the most advanced believers in the Russian and Turkish baths do. To the man who knows only the ill-smelling, ill-conditioned Digger, Apache or Piute this will come as a revelation.

The Columbia river Indian, says the Chicago Tribune, is a clean individual. He may not have the toilet articles and clean linen of civilization, but his pores are open, his skin is clear and free from spot or blemish, and he is generally a healthy person. His step is light, his head erect, his eye clear, and form wiry, and he probably owes it as much to his hot baths as to the delightful climate in which he lives. These baths the Umatilla, the Wenatchee, Yakima and all the other tribes of the Columbia basin have used always, or so far back in the past that not even the faintest traditions of the tribes tell of their commencement. They take them regularly, once or twice weekly, and always prescribe and use them for sickness, although their ignorance of the various diseases, and their practice of always taking the "bath" as a cure for any disease with which they may be attacked has caused many serious and fatal mistakes in the past by which scores of lives have been lost. Repeated fatalities, however, teach them no lessons. It may be rheumatism or it may be smallpox; it makes no difference to them.

The "bath," or, as the few white settlers on the river call it, "Injun sweat house," is simply a hole three feet in diameter and eight feet long, dug horizontally in the sloping bank of the river. It is usual to dig them from thirty-five to forty feet above low water, as the river generally rises during June and July from thirty to forty feet, and although high water lasts but ten days to three weeks, yet there would be little left of the "bath" if the flood had a chance at it. The bottom, or floor, is lined with smooth flat stones, and the walls are hardened as much as possible by the builder lying on his back on the bottom and pounding them with a rock resembling a pestle. After a few baths the walls become as well baked and as hard as brick, and will not only retain the heat for hours, but will stand a wonderful amount of pressure and weight from above.

The method of taking a bath is as simple as the "bath" itself. Filling the hole with dry wood it is set afire and in a few minutes is burning fiercely. When the wood has burned out the embers are raked from the hole and the bath is ready. Divesting himself of all his clothing the Indian takes an old blanket and, saturating it thoroughly in the river, spreads it out on the stones of the hole and crawls in feet first. The instant the wet blanket touches the hot stone the hole is filled with steam in which the bather disappears. For several minutes nothing is visible but clouds of steam pouring out of the hole; but after a time that clears away, and within, yet close to the entrance, can be seen the steaming face of the "bath's" occupant. As the hole cools off the Indian crawls farther in, and so the majority of the "bucks" remain in all night. Before morning they are well back to the extreme end of the excavation.

To witness a "buck" emerge from his bath in the morning one would think it the last effort of a dying man. Too weak to walk or even stand and hardly able to crawl, he manages to slowly drag his body from the hole to the bank, down which he creeps or rolls to the water's edge. Then the transformation takes place. If he is able to stand he will wade in until the water is up to his knees, when in he rolls or plunges. In an instant he is up again, wildly waving his arms and beating his chest, and then he plunges in again, repeatedly, until he has disappeared several times under the icy water, for the Columbia river is ice cold, winter or summer, receiving its supply in the summer from the snow-clad peaks of its headwaters.

With a bound the "buck" is out on the bank, a new man; like a wildcat he springs up the hillside to the "bath," reaches in and picking up his blanket wraps it around him and with step as light and form as erect as an athlete in training, hurries away to his tepee for breakfast.

The taking of his bath is part of his training, and almost of his religion. From early youth he is accustomed to it, and he practices it to his old age. Winter or summer, whether it be hot or cold, he takes it. While the squaws do not indulge as frequently or remain in as long as the "bucks," they are required by the customs of their people to regularly go to the bathhouse and receive its benefits. They usually do not remain in longer than half an hour, or, perhaps, an hour at the longest, and are not required to take the plunge afterward, usually contenting themselves with dipping their blankets in the water and then passing it over their bodies until they become sufficiently cool to walk up to the tepee to sleep or eat.

**Correctly Informed.**

A lady who has recently returned from a Mediterranean trip says that as the ship was leaving the harbor of Athens a well-dressed lady passenger approached the captain, who was pacing the deck, and, pointing to the distant hill covered with snow, asked: "What is that white stuff on the hills, captain?" "That is snow, madam," answered the captain. "Now is it really?" remarked the lady. "I thought so, but a gentleman just told me it was Greece."

## SWITCHES AND FALSE FRONTS.

**How Human Hair Is Prepared in Paris for Export and Home Use.**

From an industrial and artistic point of view, says the Annales Industrielles, Paris is the center of the fine manufacture of prepared human hair. Of course, the reference here is to woman's hair, for man's hair is worthless for any industrial purpose. Aside from the houses that manufacture exclusively for the export trade, the city numbers about two thousand hairdressers and five thousand workmen, about half of whom are engaged in the manufacture properly so called. The source of supply of the hair may be divided into three categories. The hair of the first category is furnished by foreign countries, India and China being the largest suppliers. This hair is exclusively black and gray, and comes in boxes, carefully packed. In addition to these countries, Italy, Spain, Germany and Russia supply small quantities. The hair from India and China undergoes quite a lengthy preparation. It is first matched, sorted and combed, and then immersed in a solution of soft soap and carbonate of soda, in order to scour it. Upon coming from this bath it is united root end to root end and formed into locks that are tied near the roots. It yet remains to render the hair thin and flexible. To this effect it is first placed in earthen pans filled with chlorureted water and water mixed with hydrochloric acid, which renders it thin and decolorizes it. Then it is immersed in a solution of soft soap and chlorate of potash, in order to render it less brittle. Finally, a definite color and shade are given it.

A light or blonde shade is obtained with oxygenated water or a saturated solution of carbonate of potash. To dye it black it is boiled for a few hours in a bath prepared with a decoction of nutgalls or Campeachy wood, in which sulphate of iron is dissolved and into which a little sumac is put, in order to give it a luster and remove the bluish tint peculiar to the hair of the dead. Finally, it is bleached by immersing it in several baths of oxygenated water to which a few drops of ammonia have been added. Thus prepared, the Chinese or Hindoo hair is sold to the hair dressers, who work it to their fancy, and afterward sell it at more or less moderate prices. The finest hair, forming the second category, is that of France, and comprises a variety of shades exceeding a hundred. The most beautiful is furnished by Limousin, Brittany, Normandy and Beauce. Some lots are derived from young ladies' boarding schools and from convents. All this is collected by traveling men called cutters, who make their circuit toward spring, and visit the villages to gather their crop. In some localities of Brittany and Auvergne, on certain market days, the damsels who desire to sell their head of hair get up on a cask, undo their hair and allow it to fall over their shoulders. An auction soon begins, and every lot, as soon as cut, is delivered to the highest bidder for spot cash. This product does not pass into the bath, but is simply combed and then scoured with buckwheat flour. Finally, the third category comprises hair (which, it must be confessed, is classed among the most esteemed) derived from the sorting of combings collected by rag-pickers, who stuff it into bags just as they find it, soiled by dust, felted by water, and adhering to the sweepings of houses, and sell it to small manufacturers, who undertake to utilize it.

## TURKEY'S MUSCULAR RULER.

**Abdul Hamid Firmly Convinced That He Is Destined to Reign Forty Years.**

The seventeenth anniversary of the accession of the sultan of Turkey to the throne has recently been celebrated in Constantinople. Abdul Hamid is said to be a man of great muscular strength, and it is asserted by the New York Tribune that, although small and slight of build, he is powerful enough to overcome the strongest of his janissaries in a trial of personal strength. He owes this to his regularity of life, the observance of the laws of health and his passion for gymnastics. He is devoted to carpentry, and his palace is furnished with a workshop in which there are many artisans, whose work is directed by the sultan himself. A considerable proportion of the furniture of the royal residence has been made from his designs, and in many cases executed by himself. Abdul Hamid has a firm conviction that he will reign for forty years, and this belief has banished all fear of disease and danger from his mind. He, however, dreads the cholera, because a dervish once prophesied that he would die of cholera morbus. This has been a source of great benefit to his subjects, as every effort is made to prevent the spread of cholera, owing to the sultan's desire to escape being attacked by it.

## HE WAS ON TIME.

**Although He Had to Make His Toilet in the Street Car.**

One morning recently, says the St. Louis Republic, as a Washington avenue car came dashing cityward with its customary freight of folks on duty's errand bound, the passengers within were surprised at the sight of a young man rushing from a house, bounding across the street and boarding the car, with his hat, vest, coat and collar in his hand.

He was a fine-looking fellow, and, as far as one might judge by appearances, evidently a clerk employed in some one of the big stores. Once safely landed on the car, he laid his coat, hat and vest on the seat, while he buttoned on the collar and whipped the tie into place. Then he drew from the pocket of the vest he had just donned a comb case and mirror, and leisurely proceeded to fix his hair and mustache. This finished, he drew on his coat, placed his hat upon his head, and, with a quick survey of his person, a few sweeps of the hand to carry away any lint that might have stuck upon his trousers, he glanced about the car with an air of absolute unconcern. He was dressed and on time for the office.

## MASKED BEFORE MARRIAGE.

**A Feminine Failing Which Is Often the Cause of Post-Nuptial Misery.**

There is no doubt that a great deal of the unhappiness of married life arises from the fact that when a man is courting a girl he only sees her "at her best," both as regards temper, looks and everything else. After marriage he is rudely disillusioned and vaguely wonders whether this snappy young woman with untidy hair and perhaps a shine on her nose can be the sweet-tempered, faultlessly-dressed, lovely Angelina of a few months ago. Yes, young man, says the New York Advertiser, she is Angelina right enough, only she has, so to say, thrown off her mask, now she has "got you," and appears in her true colors, which are not quite of so fascinating a hue as those that dazzled your lovesick eyes in the courting period. It is nearly every girl's ambition to get married. She lays herself out to do so, and any little artifice that will enhance her natural charms she has no hesitation in using. She dresses for effect, she poses for effect, she talks for effect, in fact, during this stage of her life she is acting—for every woman is more or less of an actress—and it must be confessed that, generally speaking, she acts her part very well.

After all, it is only natural that she should try to appear at her best and endeavor to captivate mankind, for marriage is the be-all and end-all of a society girl's existence. The worst of it is that she cannot keep this up after marriage. It would be too great a strain both physically and mentally. As it is, heaven only knows what she goes through during the anxious time when she is angling for a fish, especially if it be a gold fish. She molds herself to his likes and dislikes, and outrages her own feelings, until the little golden band on her fingers allows her to breathe freely and declare that "Though he likes living in the country, she detests it, and does not intend to live there." Mr. Neuwed is startled and astonished. This is open rebellion. Yet when he was courting her she appeared such a meek, gentle creature, as to have no wish or will of her own, quite content to follow in his lordship's footsteps. "What a fool I was to get married," he mentally exclaims, and then in all probability the bickering begins that renders married life one long misery. Perhaps it now dawns on Mr. Neuwed that when he was courting her she was at her best.

A word to men. When you are courting a girl remember she is at her best in every respect, and that she cannot possibly always keep up this high standard after marriage; so grasp the fact that you are not going to marry an angel, but a human being with many faults, perhaps as many as you possess yourself.

## BETTING WOMEN IN ENGLAND.

**One Section Where They Comprise About Half the Race Wagerers.**

A correspondent of the Birmingham (England) Mail says: "I read your paragraph on 'Do women bet?' I should say that instead of being twenty per cent. they are at the very least forty-five per cent. if not in the actual majority. In this immediate district there is a system for collecting bets that beats creation. A bookmaker, who, by the way, is also a license holder, employs five or six men, who, I suppose, go under the name of clerks, each of whom has a round or district, and every day—that is, every racing day—these men call on their respective clients—women, of course, whose husbands are at work earning money to be thrown away. I know more than one case where everything that can be raked together to pawn for the purpose is done, and the winnings, when they have one, go to the bookmaker for a royal booze.

"What I should like to point out is the mischief a man who holds a license and is a bookmaker can do in a neighborhood. He not only incites to gambling, but also to drink. I myself have seen scores of women enter the house with papers, and, of course, they must have a drink before they leave. Perhaps the public will ask how it is done. The house in question is so surrounded by touts that on the approach of a policeman the signal is given and the thing stopped till the coast is clear. This is no prejudiced view of the matter, but a real fact, which can be verified daily on a walk through this district by anyone with his eyes open. It is surely time the law stepped in and said to the publican bookmaker: 'You shall have no license.'"

## LONG-LIVED CARP.

**One Old Specimen in Fontainbleau Is Over Three Hundred Years Old.**

When the fish commission, some years ago, began to introduce carp into the streams of this country it is doubtful if they knew what a lasting monument they were building. It is pretty generally known, says the Washington News, that the sluggish and, to fishermen, despicable denizen of the water is gifted with a tenure of life, barring chance encounter with a hook, a big black bass with his back up or other vicissitudes of piscatorial existence, which exceeds that of most creatures, but the actual age that they do attain under favorable circumstances is appalling. There are very few fishermen who haven't a yarn about some wily old trout or bass that has been known to frequent the same pool for many years, but Assistant Secretary of State Rockhill tells of a carp that can give any of these fish points on how to attain a long life. He says that in a pond at at Fontainbleau there is, or was when he was last there, a barnacled old carp that had been placed in the pond in the reign of Francis I. As that monarch flourished during the sixteenth century, Mr. Rockhill's carp is considerably more than three hundred years old. To prevent any mistake by future generations the gentleman who occupied the office of commissioner of fish and fisheries for his royal highness placed a metal tag in the carp's fin, and it is by this mark that the fish is known from the others in this little lake.


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| Rye " " | .65 |
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## HOME OF THE CUCKOO CLOCK.

**The Little Town of Villingen, Located in the Black Forest of Germany.**

Villingen is one of the centers for the Black Forest clock industry. The making of clocks in the Schwarzwald dates from a very old time, and the industry has here attained some forms which are to be found nowhere else, says the Philadelphia Telegraph. It is, perhaps, the most distinctive of all the skilled trades of these clever people. The inhabitants of the hills, from the earliest time, in distinction from the residents of the valleys, who preferred to farm, have shown a love for woodwork, and centuries ago trained their hands to cut out various clever untensils. Their skill in this line took the form of clockmaking about 1680 or '90. There were very rudimentary ideas afloat concerning what constituted a clock in those days. At first a weight was used hung from a string. Later the pendulum was introduced. Then came the striking one-day clocks. Again, a little later, the eight-day clocks. By their own discoveries and by the adoption of the inventions of foreigners these people have thus steadily kept themselves in the front rank among the clock manufacturers of the world. This section particularly excels in making automatic clocks, and clocks combined with musical boxes and other novelties. The principal thing in this line, however, is the cuckoo clock (in German kukuk). The first cuckoo clock was put together about one hundred and fifty years ago by an inventive old Schwarzwalder, and the popularity of his clever mechanical device continues without abatement.

The cuckoo is put up in every kind of a clock case and with every kind of good, bad and indifferent time-keeping machinery. He may be had, works and all, for one dollar, and so on up, according to the quality of his song and other characteristics. His special peculiarity, of course, is his regularity, and this is what got him into trouble in the United States. He has a small cage up at the top of the clock, and whenever the time comes for him to go through his exhibition his door flies open, he steps out in front, bows and flaps his wings and sings his little song. He has been criticised for his limited repertory. Nature did this, and no bird can improve on nature. The peculiar sound is made by the use of a sort of double bellows, through which the wind is forced at the proper intervals. If it is a good clock the mimicry is perfect. It is an invention which could have been made only here, in the land of the cuckoo. At this time of the year the bird can be heard seesawing away in every copse of woods. He has points of difference from the American cuckoo. He does not lay his egg in other birds' nests, and seems, in fact, to be a very decent kind of fowl.

## A CARGO OF WIVES.

**How a Community of Hungarian Miners Settled the Marriage Question.**

"I think the most remarkable sight I ever witnessed," said a Pueblo (Col.) man to a St. Louis Globe-Democrat representative, "was at a small mining town in our state, where the majority of the miners are Poles or Hungarians or both. For some time a rumor had gone around that the bachelor members of the community had sent enough money to the old country to secure a delegation of unmarried females to come out and share their good fortune with them. The prospective bridegrooms drank more than usual as the arrival of the peculiar cargo became more certain, and when finally a telegram was received from New York that these damsels had actually arrived and were on board a train, the men celebrated the last of their bachelor days by a first-class drunk. They were fairly sober on the morning the train was to arrive, and putting on their best clothes they arrived at the depot with that peculiarly uncomfortable look which miners are apt to assume when dressed for meeting. About half the town was at the depot as well, and some one rather maliciously started a cheer when the young ladies with their huge bundles began to alight from the cars. The crowd took up the idea and a mighty cheer rang through the air. The miners took charge of their proposed brides, and retired with them to the house of a married friend, where it is to be presumed brides and bridegrooms were divided up so as to suit the feelings of the majority. The process did not take more than half an hour, and within an hour of the arrival of the train a local justice of the peace had securely tied the sundry and divers knots necessary to complete the transaction. No marriage bureau ever did business in so strictly a regular and satisfactory manner."

**Legend of the Daisy.**

There is a pretty legend connected with the daisy, which is an Old World flower Americanized. When the early Christians of Britain were persecuted and put to death St. Bruon persuaded his sister, St. Olle, to flee with her maiden companions. After the persecution ceased the bishop searched fruitlessly for his sister until he noticed that there sprung up in his pathway little tufts of flowers with golden hearts and starry rays of white. He took them for his guides, and following their mute beckoning, after many days they led him to a desert place where, in a rocky hiding place, he found his sister.

**Plugging Ears to Induce Sleep.**

In order to insure sound sleep Prof. Scripture, of Yale, has for years plugged up his ears at night. He explains the process as follows: "The stick of wax is warmed over the gas flame, and a sufficient quantity is pressed off between the thumb and finger. This is placed in the entrance of the external meatus. In order to make such a fit that no sensations of touch are produced when the head is placed on the pillow, the tragus is placed over it for an instant, and the end of the index finger slightly loosens the top and the bottom of the plug in the ear. Each morning the antiphones are thrown away."

## INJURIOUS MODERN DANCING.

**What a Physician Thinks of the Art as Now Practiced.**

The art of dancing as practiced by the Greeks and Romans was a useful form of gymnastics that they held in great esteem, regarding it rightly as a means eminently suited to develop the organism. We must confess, however, that in our times this art has degenerated, says a writer in the European edition of the New York Herald, and can be called unhealthy in the great majority of cases and not in all, as dancing in the open air in the daytime may have decided merits. This is never true for balls given in rooms filled with people, overheated by a quantity of lights, and with the atmosphere thoroughly poisoned by the very causes without which a ball cannot be brilliant.

It is scarcely necessary to refer to the dust of all kinds, to the innumerable microbes that the dancers send flying into the air, nor need we speak of the untimely strain imposed on the organism which, at a time when it ought to be at rest, is on the contrary over excited. What greater mistake than the midnight supper at which the most unwholesome things are eaten and drunk? The guests bolt in a very short time food that is generally heavy and washed down with strong wines, and this is scarcely over before the dancing is resumed, against the most elementary rules of common sense and hygiene. Nor is this all; it is not only the body alone that is concerned, as the mind has its share in this fatigue by the vivid emotions produced by the conversation, music and flowers.

It is quite usual after a ball to find that the action of the heart shows traces of fatigue, particularly in delicate young women, who complain of a vague sensation of uneasiness, sadness and even of pain, and are, in a word, in a peculiar condition that is not yet disease nor is it health—much nearer the former than the latter.

Diseases caused by dancing are commoner in women than in men. The most frequent are laryngitis, particularly in women who talk a great deal while dancing; colds, bronchitis and sometimes pneumonia and pleurisy.

Dancing should be absolutely forbidden in all cases of consumption, which may assume a very rapid form from this cause; it is counter indicated, as well, in all cases of heart trouble.

Physicians are unanimous in condemning dancing as it is understood at present, but it might be made a hygienic exercise if it were executed in the open air and in the daytime, and if the amount of exercise were in proportion to the strength of the dancers. Like all other bodily exercises, it should be used in moderation.

## VIGILANCE AGAINST THE PEST.

**What Happened to Kate Field in a Fifth Avenue Omnibus in New York.**

If Kate Field, of Washington, were not a woman whose word cannot be questioned, this story of an occurrence in a Fifth avenue omnibus would not be believed. A friend and herself had entered the vehicle, says the New York Press, and another woman and a man followed at intervals of a block or two apart. Presently a gentleman got in who was recognized as one of the most eminent physicians in New York. He made his way up to the front of the omnibus and sat quiet for a minute or two, then turned and looked earnestly up and down the two sides on which his fellow passengers were seated. A moment later he pulled the strap and stepped to the door.

"Ladies," said he, "one of you has smallpox. I shall have to trouble you all to lift your veils." The narrator and her companion responded at once, but the other woman held back. The man arose and beat a hasty retreat, the doctor holding open the door, but saying as he did so: "You would be wiser, sir, to come with us and be vaccinated."

The man came back and took his seat quietly in the omnibus, and the doctor ordered the driver to drive at once to the stable, which he did. From the stable the doctor telephoned for an ambulance, in which the woman who had refused to lift her veil was taken away to the hospital, she having become thoroughly frightened by that time and offering no resistance. The doctor procured some fresh vaccine from a neighboring druggist and vaccinated the two ladies and their male fellow passenger.

He explained that he had detected the odor of the disease on entering the omnibus, and that it was only by such prompt action as his that it would be possible to stamp out the epidemic in the great city.

**That Altered the Case.**

Of the late French Senator Renaud the Kolnische Zeitung tells the following anecdote:

When Renaud first came as senator to Paris from his home in the Pyrenees he engaged a room at a hotel and paid a month's rent—one hundred and fifty francs—in advance. The proprietor asked him if he would have a receipt.

"It is not necessary," replied Renaud. "God has witnessed the payment."

"Do you believe in God?" sneered the host.

"Most assuredly," replied Renaud, "don't you?"

"Not I, monsieur."

"Ah," said the senator, "in that case please make me out a receipt."

**Female Garments.**

The leaves of the sensitive plant shrink from a touch; but Mrs. Claflin, in her "Personal Recollections of Whittier," tells of a man so sensitive as to shrink from the sight of a woman's dress, even when it was hanging harmlessly from pegs and hooks.

An old Quaker friend, a bachelor, visited Mr. Whittier. When the hour for retiring came he was shown to his room. Soon afterward, he called from the top of the stairs, in an excited tone:

"I think thee has made a mistake, Friend Whittier. I find female garments in my room!"

"Thee'd better go to bed," replied the poet; "the female garments will not hurt thee."

## SOME MILLINERY LAWS.

**Combined With the Caprice of Individual Taste They Are Necessary.**

Avoid heavy trimmings. The head should have that easy, that degage air that gives a certain elegance to the whole person.

The shapes are legion. No two hats made from like shapes would ever be recognized as such, after they are bent about, each in their different way.

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All manner and sorts of trimmings appear at one and the same time on a fashionable hat.

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Some of the combinations are, however, most amiable.

A large flapping hat of butter-colored chiffon, stiffened in crisp pleats all about the face, is topped by a nodding mass of huge roses in every shade. A veritable rose garden. It is moreover a wonderfully becoming bit of millinery but exceedingly trying to any but a fresh, girlish face.

A connoisseur would pronounce perfection a hat in rough black braid with a high crown and smartly rolling brim.

A twist of green velvet surrounds the crown, at the side perks up a Prince Albert plume and jetted aigrette.

A bandeau of velvet tilts the hat a little off the face, at each side is snuggled a bunch of plush pink roses and leaves, so natural looking that one almost expects to smell the perfume.

**When to Take Leave.**

When to take leave is oftener than not as perplexing a moment as when to arrive, and each social function offers its little difficulties in this respect. Fannie Marlowe writing in Chaperone Magazine, says that "at home" days are occasions when savoir faire is put to the test in the matter of departure. The regulation conventional time for a call on an "at home" day is about twenty minutes, but this can be lengthened out to half an hour or forty minutes, circumstances being favorable, or shortened to ten minutes when the position is distinctly unfavorable to a longer stay.

When to take leave at a dinner party is somewhat of a problem, and requires a little judicious decision. The fact of having ordered the carriage at a certain hour partially desides the question, but not altogether so. The customary hour varies from 10:30 to 10:45 P. M., and yet to take leave the instant the carriage is announced is not complimentary to a host and hostess. At 10:45, however, a hurried "good night" might be gracefully said, as this fifteen minutes' stay satisfies the susceptibilities of even a punctilious hostess. The departures after a dinner party are made almost simultaneously, the guests literally following each other.

"When to leave" at a ball is a very elastic rule, which varies to suit the circumstances of the case. To leave as soon after supper as may be, or to stay until a ball is actually over are equally correct courses to follow. To remain until the morning dawns is a proof of with what elan and spirit the entertainment has been kept up. On the other hand, 2:30 A. M. is a general time at which to take leave, and it is allowed that the swellest people seldom stay beyond it, save those who remain simply for the pleasure of dancing. At balls during the season many do not remain beyond half an hour or so, and then pass on to another function, and to yet a third, but these are the exceptions to the general run of departures at balls.

At small dances the guests leave almost as collectively as at dinner parties, as far as engagements permit of doing so, and commence to take leave when the last dance is going on, those dancing following the lead, the majority taking leave about 2 A. M.

At receptions and evening parties the majority of the guests take leave immediately after supper between 12 M. and 1 A. M., but this is not the case with those who have other engagements and who go on to other parties, remaining about half an hour to each one, thus at crowded receptions the departures commence before the arrivals have ceased to be announced.

The usual hour at which to take leave after luncheon is 3 o'clock, and unless pressed to do so luncheon guests should not remain beyond this hour to avoid inconveniencing a hostess in the matter of her afternoon engagements. It is quite immaterial which of the guests is first to take leave; age confers neither precedency nor privilege in this matter, neither does marriage.

At wedding receptions it is usual to take leave immediately after the departure of the bride and bridegroom, it being considered discourteous to leave earlier, unless engagements render doing so imperative and the bridal departure is postponed over 5 P. M.

**A Typical Commencement Gown.**

The material used for this particular gown was white muslin, embroidered, at far intervals, with a tiny pinhead dot, and on the smooth background a cluster of forget-me-nots. The skirt was made with the usual flare, and finished with three narrow ruffles that had for their heading a half-inch-wide band formed entirely of tiny blue forget-me-nots. The bodice was a simply draped one, its high collar being covered by a stock of pale-blue ribbon with a bunch of forget-me-nots on each side of the front in rosette fashion. The full puffed sleeves shaped in at the wrist, and had for their edge finish a band of forget-me-nots like that on the skirt. The waist ribbon was a five-inch-wide forget-me-not blue satin, finished with rosettes of the forget-me-nots.—Ladies' Home Journal.

**To Detect Adulterated Coffee.**

A simple test is given in the American Artisan to try the purity of coffee by which adulterations of that article can be detected, even if the taste is not a sure index. If a spoonful of genuine ground coffee is thrown into cold water, it will float upon the surface. Most substances used in adulterating coffee will sink at once.


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[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

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## READING RAILROAD SYSTEM

In effect May, 12, 1895.

TRAINS LEAVE BLOOMSBURG

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading Pottsville, Tamaqua, weekdays 11.55 a. m.

For Williamsport, weekdays, 7.35 a. m., 3.23 p. m.

For Danville and Milton, weekdays, 7.35 a. m., 3.15.

For Catawissa weekdays 7.35, 11.55 a. m., 12.20, 5.00, 6.32, p. m.

For Rupert weekdays 7.35, 11.55 a. m., 12.20, 3.23 5.00, 6.32, p. m.

For Baltimore, Washington and the West via B. & O. R. R., through trains leave Reading Terminal, Philadelphia, 3.20, 7.55, 11.26 a. m., 3.46 7.27, p. m. Sundays 3.20, 7.55 11.26 a. m., 3.46, 7.27, p. m. Additional trains from 24 and Chestnut street station, weekdays, 1.35, 5.41, 8.23 p. m. Sundays, 1.35, 8.23 p. m.

TRAINS FOR BLOOMSBURG

Leave New York via Philadelphia 8.00 a m., and via Easton 9.10 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia 10.00 a. m.

Leave Reading 11.50 a. m.

Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.20 a. m.,

Leave Williamsport weekdays 10.10 a m, 4.30 p. m.

Leave Catawissa weekdays, 7.00, 8.20 a. m. 1.30, 3.27, 6.15.

Leave Rupert, weekdays, 7.08, 8.27, a. m., 12.06 1.37, 3.36, 6.23.

ATLANTIC CITY DIVISION.

Leave Philadelphia, Chestnut Street wharf and South Street wharf for Atlantic City.

WEEK-DAYS—Express, 9.00, a. m., (Saturdays only 1.30), 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00 p. m. Accommodation, 8.00 a. m., 5.45, p. m.

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WEEK-DAYS—Express, 7.00, 7.45, 9.00 a. m. 3.15 and 5.30 p. m. Accommodation, 8.15 a. m. and 4.32 p. m.

Sunday—Express, 4.00, 5.15, 8.00 p. m. Accommodation, 7.15 a. m. and 4.15 p. m.

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Gen'l Superintendent. Gen'l Pass. Agt.

| SOUTH.— | | | | B. & S. R. R. | | | —NORTH |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ARRIVE. | | | | | | | LEAVE |
| a m | a. m. | p m | p.m. | STATIONS. | a m | p m | p m | a m |
| 7.10 | 11.40 | 6.30 | 2.40 | Bloomsb'g | 8.20 | 2 40 | 6 40 | 6.10 |
| 7.08 | 11.38 | 6.28 | 2.3 | " P. & P. | 8.33 | 2.42 | 6.44 | 6.13 |
| 7.03 | 11.32 | 6.24 | 2.35 | " Main st.. | 8.55 | 2.43 | 6.47 | |
| | | 6.20 | 2.32 | .Irondale.. | | 2.47 | 6.50 | 6.28 |
| 6.53 | 11.23 | 6.12 | 2.20 | Paper Mill. | 8.44 | 2.54 | 6.58 | 6.37 |
| 6.50 | 11.20 | 6.09 | 2.15 | ..Light St.. | 8.47 | 3.00 | 7.02 | 6.50 |
| 6.40 | 11.10 | 5.59 | 2.00 | Orangeville. | 8.56 | 3.10 | 7.10 | 7.10 |
| 6.29 | 11.01 | 5.48 | 1.35 | ...Forks.... | 9.06 | 3.20 | 7.20 | 7.35 |
| 6.25 | 10.58 | 5.44 | 1.30 | ..Zaner's.. | 9.09 | 3.25 | 7.24 | 7.44 |
| 6.18 | 10.52 | 5.37 | 1.25 | .Stillwater. | 9.13 | 3.30 | 7.29 | 8.00 |
| 6.08 | 10.43 | 5.27 | 1.10 | ..Benton.... | 9.23 | 3.40 | 7.39 | 8.40 |
| 6.04 | 10.40 | 5.22 | 12.35 | ..Edson's... | 9.26 | 3.45 | 7.44 | 8.50 |
| 6.02 | 10.38 | 5.20 | 12.30 | .Cole's Cr'k. | 9.28 | 3.47 | 7.48 | 8.53 |
| 5.58 | 10.35 | 5.16 | 12.25 | .Sugarloaf.. | 9.31 | 3.52 | 7.52 | 9.00 |
| 5.53 | 10.32 | 5.13 | 12.50 | ..Laubach.. | 9.35 | 3.57 | 7.57 | 9.10 |
| 5.48 | 10.28 | 5.03 | 12.03 | ...Central.. | 9.45 | 4.07 | 8.07 | 9.30 |
| 5.40 | 10.20 | 5.00 | 11.50 | .Jam. City.. | 9.50 | 4.10 | 8.10 | 9.40 |
| a m | a m | p m | p m | | a m | p m | p m | a m |
| LEAVE | | | | | | | | ARRIVE |

## Pennsylvania Railroad.

**Time Table in effect May 19, '95.**

| | | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | Daily |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Scranton (D & H) | lv | ..... | † 9 38 | † 5 58 | † 9 10 | |
| Pittston " | " | ..... | †10 00 | † 6 00 | † 5 59 | |
| Wilkesbarre | lv | † 7 25 | †10 15 | † 3 17 | † 6 10 | 4 40 |
| Plym'th Ferry | " | † 7 30 | †10 21 | † 3 22 | † 6 06 | † 4 48 |
| Nanticoke | " | 7 40 | 10 3 | 3 29 | 6 14 | 5 00 |
| Mocanaqua | " | 8 01 | 10 5 | 3 47 | 6 35 | 5 27 |
| Wapwallopen | " | 8 11 | 11 0 | 3 57 | 6 46 | 5 32 |
| Nescopeck | ar | 8 23 | 11 1 | 4 08 | 6 58 | 5 42 |
| | | A. M. | A. M. | P. M. | | |
| Pottsville | lv | † 6 00 | † 9 05 | † 1 10 | ..... | ..... |
| Hazleton | " | 7 10 | 11 05 | 3 04 | ..... | ..... |
| Tomhicken | " | 7 20 | 11 25 | 3 22 | ..... | ..... |
| Fern Glen | " | 7 38 | 11 34 | 3 28 | ..... | ..... |
| Rock Glen | " | 7 44 | 11 40 | † 3 39 | ..... | ..... |
| Nescopeck | ar | 8 01 | ..... | 4 08 | ..... | ..... |
| | | A. M. | A. M. | P. M. | | P. M. |
| Nescopeck | lv | † 8 28 | †11 11 | † 4 04 | ..... | 5 43 |
| Creasy | " | 8 33 | Via | 4 17 | ..... | 5 58 |
| Espy Ferry | " | † 8 43 | Rock | † 4 27 | ..... | † 6 04 |
| E. Bloomsburg | " | 8 47 | Glen | 4 32 | ..... | 6 08 |
| | | | P. M. | | | |
| Catawissa | ar | 8 55 | 12 18 | 4 38 | ..... | 6 16 |
| Catawissa | lv | 8 55 | 12 18 | 4 38 | ..... | 6 16 |
| Riverside | " | 9 14 | 12 37 | 4 57 | ..... | 6 32 |
| Sunbury | " | 9 35 | 1 00 | 5 20 | ..... | 7 00 |
| | | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | | P. M. |
| Sunbury | lv | † 9 56 | † 1 35 | † 5 40 | ..... | † 9 25 |
| Lewisburg | ar | 10 29 | 2 08 | 6 15 | ..... | ..... |
| Milton | " | 10 44 | 2 03 | 6 56 | ..... | 9 52 |
| Williamsport | " | 11 15 | 3 00 | 7 00 | ..... | 10 40 |
| Lock Haven | " | 12 20 | 4 10 | 8 00 | ..... | ..... |
| Renovo | " | P. M. | 5 15 | 9 00 | ..... | ..... |
| Kane | " | ..... | 9 15 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | | P. M. |
| Sunbury | lv | † 9 48 | † 1 50 | † 5 30 | ..... | † 8 17 |
| Harrisburg | ar | †11 30 | † 3 20 | † 7 10 | ..... | 10 00 |
| | | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | | A. M. |
| Philadelphia | ar | † 3 00 | † 6 43 | †11 15 | ..... | † 4 30 |
| Baltimore | " | † 3 10 | † 6 15 | †10 40 | ..... | 6 20 |
| Washington | " | † 4 35 | † 7 30 | ..... | ..... | 7 40 |
| | | A. M. | P. M. | | | |
| Sunbury | lv | †10 05 | † 2 25 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | | P. M. | | | | |
| Lewistown Jc | ar | †12 05 | † 4 25 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Pittsburg | " | † 8 10 | †11 30 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Harrisburg | lv | ..... | † 8 50 | † 7 30 | ..... | P. M. †11 55 |
| | | | | A. M. | | A. M. |
| Pittsburg | ar | ..... | †11 30 | † 2 00 | ..... | † 7 15 |

† Daily, except Sunday. ‡ Daily. ‖ Flag station.

| | | | | | | Sunday |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | P. M. | P. M. | | A. M. | P. M. |
| Pittsburg | lv | † 7 00 | † 8 10 | ..... | 8 00 | † 8 10 |
| | | A. M. | A. M. | | P. M. | A. M. |
| Harrisburg | ar | † 2 40 | † 3 35 | ..... | † 3 10 | † 3 30 |
| | | | A. M. | | A. M. | |
| Pittsburg | lv | ..... | ..... | ..... | † 8 00 | ..... |
| | | | | | P. M. | |
| Lewistown Jc. | " | ..... | † 7 35 | ..... | † 3 00 | ..... |
| Sunbury | ar | ..... | † 9 25 | ..... | † 5 00 | ..... |
| | | P. M. | A. M. | | A. M. | A. M. |
| Washington | lv | 10 40 | ..... | ..... | 10 30 | ..... |
| Baltimore | " | †11 50 | † 4 45 | ..... | †11 40 | † 4 45 |
| Philadelphia | " | †11 20 | † 4 30 | ..... | 12 28 | † 4 30 |
| | | A. M. | P. M. | | P. M. | A. M. |
| Harrisburg | lv | † 3 30 | † 8 15 | ..... | † 3 55 | † 8 15 |
| Sunbury | ar | † 5 08 | † 9 55 | ..... | † 5 35 | † 9 50 |
| | | P. M. | A. M. | | A. M. | P. M. |
| Erie | lv | † 3 45 | ..... | ..... | ..... | † 3 25 |
| Kane | " | † 7 05 | ..... | ..... | † 6 30 | † 7 05 |
| Renova | " | 10 25 | ..... | ..... | 10 25 | 10 35 |
| Lock Haven | " | 11 25 | † 7 15 | ..... | 11 20 | 11 25 |
| | | A. M. | | | P. M. | A. M. |
| Williamsport | " | 3 25 | 8 15 | ..... | 4 00 | 3 25 |
| Milton | " | 4 12 | 9 10 | ..... | 4 56 | 4 12 |
| Lewisburg | " | ..... | 9 00 | ..... | 4 47 | ..... |
| Sunbury | ar | 4 36 | 9 38 | ..... | 5 25 | 4 36 |
| | | A. M. | A. M. | | P. M. | A. M. |
| Sunbury | lv | † 5 25 | †10 00 | ..... | † 5 43 | †10 00 |
| Riverside | " | 5 48 | 10 22 | ..... | 6 07 | 10 20 |
| Catawissa | " | 6 08 | 10 40 | ..... | 6 26 | 10 42 |
| E. Bloomsburg | " | Via | 10 48 | ..... | 6 33 | 10 48 |
| Espy Ferry | " | Rock | †10 52 | ..... | † 6 38 | †10 52 |
| Creasy | " | Glen | 11 01 | ..... | 6 48 | 11 01 |
| Nescopeck | ar | 8 04 | 11 11 | ..... | 6 58 | 11 11 |
| | | A. M. | A. M. | | P. M. | |
| Nescopeck | lv | ..... | †11 11 | ..... | † 6 58 | ..... |
| Rock Glen | ar | † 6 52 | †11 37 | ..... | † 7 22 | ..... |
| Fern Glen | " | 6 59 | 11 43 | ..... | 7 27 | ..... |
| Tomhicken | " | 7 10 | 11 54 | ..... | 7 34 | ..... |
| | | | P. M. | | | |
| Hazleton | " | 7 34 | 12 15 | ..... | 7 56 | ..... |
| Pottsville | " | 8 45 | 1 25 | ..... | 9 05 | ..... |
| | | A. M. | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. |
| Nescopeck | lv | † 8 04 | †11 11 | † 4 08 | † 6 58 | †11 11 |
| Wapwallopen | ar | 8 16 | 11 22 | 4 20 | 7 10 | 11 22 |
| Mocanaqua | " | 8 26 | 11 32 | 4 32 | 7 22 | 11 32 |
| Nanticoke | " | 8 46 | 11 54 | 4 53 | 7 44 | 11 54 |
| | | | P. M. | | | P. M. |
| Plym'th Ferry | " | 8 54 | 12 02 | 5 01 | 7 53 | 12 02 |
| Wilkesbarre | " | 9 00 | 12 10 | 5 10 | 8 00 | 12 10 |
| | | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | ..... |
| Pittston (D & H) | ar | † 9 36 | †12 49 | † 5 41 | † 8 32 | ..... |
| Scranton " " | | 10 05 | 1 16 | 6 08 | 9 03 | ..... |

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Pullman Parlor and Sleeping Cars run on through trains between Sunbury, Williamsport and Erie, between Sunbury and Philadelphia and Washington and between Harrisburg, Pittsburg and the west.

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## RAILROAD TIME TABLE

### DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

| STATIONS. | EAST. A. M. | P. M. | A. M. | P. M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| NORTHUMBERLAND | 6 25 | 1 50 | 10 05 | 5 50 |
| Cameron | 6 40 | ..... | ..... | 6 03 |
| Chulasky | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 07 |
| Danville | 6 53 | 2 12 | 10 26 | 6 18 |
| Catawissa | 7 10 | 2 26 | 10 39 | 6 28 |
| Rupert | 7 17 | 2 31 | 10 44 | 6 33 |
| Bloomsburg | 7 23 | 2 36 | 10 49 | 6 39 |
| Espy | 7 33 | 2 45 | .... | 6 45 |
| Lime Ridge | 7 40 | 2 50 | ..... | 6 52 |
| Willow Grove | 7 44 | 2 54 | ..... | 6 56 |
| Briarcreek | 7 48 | ..... | ..... | 7 00 |
| Berwick | 7 58 | 3 04 | 11 12 | 7 06 |
| Beach Haven | 8 04 | 3 10 | 11 18 | 7 12 |
| Hick's Ferry | 8 10 | 3 17 | .... | 7 19 |
| Shickshinny | 8 20 | 3 29 | 11 33 | 7 35 |
| Hunlock's | 8 30 | 3 39 | .... | 7 45 |
| Nanticoke | 8 37 | 3 46 | 11 49 | 7 54 |
| Avondale | 8 41 | 3 51 | ..... | 7 58 |
| Plymouth | 8 45 | 3 56 | 11 56 | 8 02 |
| Plymouth Junction | 8 49 | 4 00 | ..... | 8 07 |
| Kingston | 8 54 | 4 05 | 12 05 | 8 12 |
| Bennett | 8 58 | 4 08 | ..... | 8 16 |
| Forty Fort | 9 00 | 4 11 | ..... | 8 19 |
| Wyoming | 9 05 | 4 17 | 12 16 | 8 25 |
| West Pittston | 9 10 | 4 22 | ..... | 8 30 |
| Susquehanna Ave | 9 14 | 4 25 | 12 43 | 8 33 |
| Pittston | 9 17 | 4 30 | 12 36 | 8 39 |
| Duryea | 9 20 | 4 34 | ..... | 8 44 |
| Lackawanna | 9 24 | 4 37 | ..... | 8 48 |
| Taylor | 9 32 | 4 45 | 12 40 | 8 57 |
| Bellevue | 9 37 | 4 50 | ..... | 9 02 |
| SCRANTON | 9 42 | 4 55 | 12 45 | 9 07 |
| | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. |

| STATIONS. |

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## Candidates.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,

MORDECAI MILLARD,

CENTRE TOWNSHIP.

The Williamsport *Sun* thinks that "almost every county in the state is liable to be cut in two now that the legislature has set the precedent by forming a new county to please the boss who owns the legislature. Lycoming county need not expect to escape, and in a few years we may expect to see a new county formed of parts of Lycoming and Clinton, with Jersey Shore as the county seat."

When the editor of the Philadelphia *Press* speaks in contemptuous terms of such a man as CHARLES R. BUCKALEW, he shows his ignorance of not only a great Pennsylvanian but of one of the country's greatest statesmen, remarks the Harrisburg *Independent*. He is the nearest approach to ALBERT GALLATIN of any man living to-day. The *Press* editor should shake off some of his New York and Yankee ideas and get to know something of the history of Pennsylvania before he attempts to belittle the reputation of one of its most distinguished sons.

The President has issued the following proclamation:

WHEREAS, the Island of Cuba is now the seat of serious civil disturbances, accompanied by armed resistance to the authority of the established government of Spain, a power with which the United States are and desire to remain on terms of peace and amity; and,

WHEREAS, the laws of the United States prohibit their citizens, as well as all others, being within and subject to their jurisdiction, from taking part in such disturbances adversely to such established government by accepting or exercising commissions for warlike service against it, by enlistment or procuring others to enlist for such service, by fitting out armed or procuring to be fitted out armed ships of war for such service, by augmenting the force of any ship of war engaged in such service and arriving in a port of the United States and by setting on foot or providing or preparing the means for military enterprises to be carried on from the United States against the territory of such government:

Now, therefore in recognition of the laws aforesaid and in discharge of the obligations of the United States towards a friendly power and as a measure of precaution and to the end that citizens of the United States and all others within its jurisdiction may be deterred from subjecting themselves to legal forfeitures and penalties,

I, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States of America, do hereby admonish all such citizens and other persons to abstain from every violation of the laws hereinbefore referred to and do hereby warn them that all violations of such laws will be rigorously prosecuted; and I do hereby enjoin upon all officers of the United States charged with the execution of said laws the utmost diligence in preventing violations thereof and in bringing to trial and punishment any offenders against the same.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington this 12th day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and nineteenth.

(Signed) GROVER CLEVELAND.
By the President.
RICHARD OLNEY, Secretary of State.

## FIVE MORE JUDGES.

GOVERNOR HASTINGS APPROVES THE JUDICIAL APPORTIONMENT BILL.

The juditional apportionment bill passed in the closing hours of the recent legislature has been approved by Governor Hastings. The measure creates five new judges and goes into effect at once.

Under the new apportionment Washington and Westmoreland each get an additional law judge, Centre is detached from Huntingdon and made a separate district, Huntingdon is tacked on to Mifflin to form a district and Jefferson is detached from Clarion so as to make each county a separate district. These are the only changes in the apportionment of 1883.

## BILLS MARKED FOR VETO.

LEGISLATURE REFUSED TO HEED THE GOVERNORS WARNING IN THE MATTER OF APPROPRIATIONS—THREE MILLIONS TO BE LOOPED OFF SOMEWHERE—HASTINGS RETURNS HOME FROM THE SEASHORE.

Governor Hastings will have his hands full during the next three weeks with the legislation left with him by the recent legislature. He has 468 bills to dispose of, or 100 more than the entire number approved by Governor Pattison two years ago. Half of the bills awaiting the governor's action are appropriation measures, the aggregate amount being about $23,000,000.

Private Secretary Beitler and Executive Clerk Harris have prepared for the use of the governor a chart of the appropriation bills which tells at a glance whether any bill is a senate or house measure, its number, subject and amount. The chart shows that the senate appropriation bills yet on hand include $28,000 for miscellaneous appropriations, or a total of senate bills of $77,091. Of the house bills in hand those of a miscellaneous character, including the general appropriation bill, appropriate $15 584,535,18; for institutions partly dependent on the state, $1,938,171,23; institutions wholly dependent on the state, $4,951,753,60; gratuities, $1,056,55; pensions, $1,392; annuities, $1,160, or a total of house bills of $22,501,068,56, and a joint total of house and senate yet to be acted upon of $22,578,759,50.

During the session the governor approved bills appropriating in the aggregate $152,581,49 to institutions wholly dependent upon the state: pensions and gratuities, $576, and miscellaneous, $152,581,49, or a total of $22,749,149,99, or almost $3,000,000 more than the state revenues.

Early in the session the governor sent a message to the legislature urging it to go slowly in the matter of appropriations and stating that the revenues for the next two years could not exceed $20,000,000. The legislators did not heed the executive warning and the result will be that a cut of $5,000,000 will be made by the governor in the appropriations. The state institutions will be taken care of first and then the most worthy of the charitable institutions dependent partly upon the state will be considered. The lopping off of $3,000,000 means that many local charitable institutions and many institutions that barely live through the year with the little the state has heretofore given them will suffer severely.

The governor will hardly give much attention to their disposal this week. To-day and to-morrow he will hear delegations for and against the Woods water bill and the Quay county bill, and on Wednesday he will go to Johnstown to appear in a suit for libel against ex-District Attorney O'Connor for remarks made by him while he was a candidate relative to the operations of the governor while he had charge of affairs there after the Johnstown flood. Saturday is taken up with an engagement in Philadelphia, so that he will hardly get down to the real work of examining bills before June 24, and will have until July 8 to finish them up.—*Patriot.*

## American Extravagance.

The American thinks it a fine thing to be pound-foolish, and a mean thing to be penny-wise. He lacks patience also; he loses courage over any plan or scheme that requires years to perfect, such as mapping out his life and saying, "I am now grown and educated; in five years I will do this, in five more that, in ten more something else," as the European does. He does not say, "In ten years I shall have paid all my father's debts; I shall then marry; in ten more I shall have laid by for my wife and children five, ten, twenty, fifty, a hundred thousand dollars, shall have bought this or that place for myself, this or that business for my son." The American's mind is so full of large and splendid possibilities that he comes to regard them as probabilities and to scorn the day of small things, the patient processes and careful economies by which important results are more often achieved than in any other way. Every American expects to succeed: every European looks to it that he shall not fail ignominiously in the race of life. He handicaps himself, he will give so much time, youth, money, to win such and such a result. He will not marry too young or foolishly, knowing that ruin *a deux* is all that awaits him. He takes long views, and makes careful plans, not leaving much to chance or accident, unlike the American, who is always waiting, Micawber-wise, for the splendid chance that is to make his fortune, the "something to turn up" that is to revolutionize all his future. the turn in the tide that is to lead on to victory—though as often as not it strands him on the beach of adversity, old age, and failure.—*Frances Courtenay Baylor, in July Lippincott's.*


**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**


## GENERAL NEWS

President Cleveland left Washington for Gray Gables on Monday, where he will spend the summer with his family.

Kansas was swept by a cyclone on Monday. Six persons were injured at Hartford, and a number of houses leveled.

The wages of 2000 men were raised ten per cent at Cleveland, Ohio, on Monday, by the National Malleable Castings Co., and the Eberhard Manufacturing Co.

Chairman Mitchell of the Appropriation committee, says that there will be no deficiency in the state treasury if the Governor signs all the appropriation bills.

Judges Archbold, Rice and Searle are sitting at Tunkhannock this week, hearing evidence in the Judicial contest.

Senator Penrose of Philadelphia, has declared for McKinley for President.

## CENTRALIA CAVE-IN.

TWO MEN BURIED TO THE WAIST WHILE WORKING ON THE NEW WATER MAIN—BOTH BRUISED.

An accident that might have resulted fatally occurred on the 14th, about 2:40 o'clock at Centralia. A new water main is being built through the borough, upon which Samuel Miller and Robert White were working, when the earth and rock gave away and buried the two men to their waist. The dirt was quickly removed, the men released and Dr. Milliard summoned from Mt. Carmel. The two men were badly bruised about the body and it was at first thought that Miller was injured internally, but an examination by the Doctor dispelled the thought. The accident occasioned a good deal of excitement for a while.

## Forest Fires Raging.

TWO HUNDRED MEN FIGHTING THE FLAMES—COMMUNICATION CUT OFF.

BRADFORD, June 16.—Forest fires between Mount Jewett and Riterville have destroyed a vast amount of wood and timber owned by F. K. Kane. The conflagration is in the centre of the Riterville oil district, but at the time of receiving the last report from that vicinity no oil well rigs had been destroyed.

Wires are down and all telegraphic communication has been cut off. A force of 200 men have been fighting the fires since yesterday afternoon and it is thought they are under control to-night.

*Mr. A. J. Davenport*

**Impure Blood**

**Caused large Boils on my face and neck. I was told to take Hood's Sarsaparilla faithfully, and after using 3 bottles was free from all eruptions. I am perfectly cured and in excellent health.** A. J. DAVENPORT, Milton, N. J.

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## ORDINANCE NO. 84.

The following ordinance was passed by the Town Council at a meeting held May 22.

An Ordinance to Provide for an Increase of Indebtedness of the Town of Bloomsburg, in order to fund the Present Indebtedness of said Municipality as Evidenced by Outstanding Orders, and a Judgment of Court in an Action for Tort, for Damages Sustained by W. R. Ringrose, for Personal Injuries Received: and also Purchase Real Estate and the Equipment of a Plant to Furnish Light for the said Town, and to Pay the Expenses Incident to the Opening of Jefferson Street and North Street, Ordained to be Opened by Previous Councils, and for Obtaining Consent of the Electors of said Municipality thereto.

WHEREAS, The existing bonded indebtedness of the Town of Bloomsburg amounts to the sum of $37,940, and in addition thereto there is an existing indebtedness for outstanding orders—the sum of $12,500 and for the judgment obtained against the said Town, for personal injuries received by W. R. Ringrose, together with the interest, costs and expenses incident to the litigation concerning the same, amounting to about $7,000—which outstanding orders and judgment are bearing six per cent, interest, and it is desirable to fund the said indebtedness by the substitution of another form of indebtedness bearing a lower rate of interest.

AND WHEREAS, Also the said Town is now at an annual expense approximating $4400 for the furnishing of Lights for its Highways and Streets, and there is demand made for the immediate opening of Jefferson Street and of North Street agreeably to the action of the corporate Authorities of said Town, heretofore had; and it is believed that the interests of the said Town will be the better subserved by the procurement of a plant and the necessary appliances, for the furnishing of light for the Highways of said Town and to be owned by the said Town; and by the immediate opening of the Highways mentioned and previously ordained.

Therefore be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Town of Bloomsburg, and it is hereby ordained and exacted

SEC. 1. That for the purpose of funding the debt of the said municipality as evidenced by the existing and outstanding orders of the said Town, and for the payment of the judgment, interest, costs and expenses incident to the litigation of the claim of W. R. Ringrose against said Town for personal injuries received by him; as well as for the purpose of procuring real estate and the necessary machinery and appliances for the furnishing of the light for the Streets and Highways thereof; and to pay the damages, costs and expenses for the opening of Jefferson Street and North Street is already ordained, that the bonded indebtedness of the said Town of Bloomsburg be increased in the sum of Forty Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars ($40,800).

SEC. 2. That bonds be issued in denominations of $500, $200 and $100 each, with coupons attached, and bearing interest at four and a half per centum, per annum, payable semi-annually, to secure the payment of the indebtedness hereby created, all of which shall be payable within twenty years from the date of issue; which bonds shall be in such form, and be executed, issued and delivered in accordance with, and subject to such regulations and resolutions as the President and Town Council may adopt.

SEC. 3. That an annual tax commencing with the first year after such bonds shall have been issued of at least two mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of taxable property in said town of Bloomsburg, be hereafter annually levied and collected for the purpose of repaying the said indebtedness and the interest thereon; and that the President of the Town Council is hereby authorized and directed to make and file with the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of Columbia County, attested by the Secretary of the Town Council, the statement required by law.

SEC. 4. That notice be given agreeably to the provisions of the Act of Assembly of April 20, 1874, and its supplements, by advertisement published in THE COLUMBIAN, "Democratic Sentinel" and "Columbia County Republican," and by twenty printed hand bills, posted in the most public parts of said Town, that an election will be held at the usual places of holding the general and municipal elections in the said Town of Bloomsburg, on Tuesday, the Sixteenth day of July, A. D., 1895, between the hours provided by law for holding of general elections, for the purpose of obtaining consent of the Electors of said Town to such increase of indebtedness.

SEC. 5. That the President of the Town Council shall cause to be prepared and distributed printed tickets labelled on the outside "Increase the Debt," and containing on the inside the words "Debt may be Increased" also the words "For Loan to Fund Outstanding Orders and the W. R. Ringrose judgment; and to pay the Expenses of Plant for Light and of Opening Jefferson and North Sts., Total $40,800;" and he shall also prepare and distribute tickets labelled on the outside "Increase the Debt" and containing on the inside "No Increase of Debt," also the words "For Loan to Fund Outstanding Orders and the W. R. Ringrose Judgment; and to pay the Expenses of Plant for Light, and of Opening Jefferson and North Streets, Total $40,800;" that due notice be given to the Electors of the Town of Bloomsburg in the manner prescribed by the 3rd Section of the Act of 1874 and its supplements, said notice to contain a statement of the last assessed valuation of taxable property in said Town, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase, and the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased

Passed and approved May 21st, 1895.

S. C. CREASY, President.

Attest: R. H. RINGLER, Sec. of Town Council.

### NOTICE TO ELECTORS.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified Electors of the Town of Bloomsburg that in pursuance of an Ordinance to Provide for an Increase of Indebtedness of the Town of Bloomsburg in order to Fund the Present Indebtedness of said Municipality as Evidenced by outstanding Orders, and a Judgment of Court in an Action for Tort, for Damages sustained by W. R. Ringrose for Personal Injuries Received; and also Purchase Real Estate and the Equipment of a Plant to Furnish Light for the said Town and to pay the Expenses Incident to the Opening of Jefferson Street and North Street, Ordained to be Opened by Previous Councils and for Obtaining Consent of the Electors of said Municipality Thereto.

An election will be held in the several election districts of the Town of Bloomsburg to be held at the places of holding the general and municipal elections in said election districts, on Tuesday, the 16th day of July, 1895 between the hours provided by law, for holding general elections for the purpose of obtaining the consent of the Electors of said Town to such increase of indebtedness.

The money to be obtained from such increase of indebtedness shall be applied to the payment of existing outstanding orders of said Town, and the payment of the W. R. Ringrose Judgment, interest, costs and expenses; and to procure a Plant for the furnishing of light for the streets of said Town, and the necessary appliances therefor; and to pay for the opening of Jefferson and North Streets as ordained by action of previous Councils.

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| The last assessed valuation of said Town was | $2,239,624 |
| The present bonded debt of said Town, is | 37,940 |
| The net existing debt of said Town including outstanding orders and Ringrose Judgment is | 19,500 |
| The amount of the proposed increase, including that necessary to fund the debt for outstanding orders and said judgment is | 40,800 |
| The percentage of increase, including that necessary to fund the debt for outstanding orders and for said judgment is | .0182 |

By order of Town Council.

S. C. CREASY, President.

R. H. RINGLER, Secretary.


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No mistakes to acknowledge, No blunders to correct. They come from the very best mills in America and Europe. They are stylish, seasonable, and in every way splendid fabrics. Wouldn't be on our counters if they were not. We will let you say how much more they are worth. Prices range from 50c. to $1.75.

**UNDERWEAR.**

We mean muslin underwear just now in particular. All correctly made, well made, and made of good material. We have never sold as much as now. We are out of one kind just now, but only for a day or two; have it coming as fast as we can. Can't be equaled in town for the prices, as the make up is the very best. Some go for 28c., others higher.

**PLISSE.**

Just new this season. Oh, how lovely. Nothing cooler or more stylish. Just the thing for these hot summer days that are coming. We have it in all kinds of designs. Light and dark back grounds. Some have the waves in the stripe, others in the body. They all go for 15c. the yard.

**DUCKS.**

There is nothing more stylish or neater looking than duck suits. Every one wants one for this summer. Dark blue back ground, with white stripe is one. Can you imagine anything prettier? Lots of others, especially the linen colored duck. All just the thing at 12½c.

**DOTTED SWISS.**

These are being shown and are going to be worn more than ever this year. We have them in plain, and also with the flouncing around the bottom, insertion four inches from the flouncing, full skirt length, all different designs, at $1.00, $1.20, $1.40. Children's at less than half of some of these.

**SHOES.**

Do you know that we are now carrying the most complete line of anyone in town? Why? Because we never do anything by halves. We can show you more value and style for your money than any where else. A full Russia leather tan shoe for $2.25.

PURSEL & HARMAN,

*Bloomsburg, Pa*



Having procured the services of E. H. Froelich, an expert watch maker and hand engraver, all goods purchased of me will be engraved free of charge. I am also better prepared to do watch, clock and jewelry repairing than ever before. A new and complete optical outfit has been added, and glasses are adjusted and fitted free of charge.

**J. G. Wells,**

Jeweler and Optician,

BLOOMSBURG, PA.


### NOTICE FROM SCHOOL BOARD

Notice is hereby given that the Directors of the Bloomsburg School District, will meet on Friday Evening, June 28th, 1895, to appoint at least twenty-two teachers, and three janitors for the ensuing year.

Applications from experienced teachers only will be considered; and those selected must attend semi-monthly Institute.

Applications will be received up to six o'clock P. M. of said day by the Secretary.

JAS. C. BROWN, Secretary,
June 15, '95. Bloomsburg, Pa


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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1895.

*Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa., as second class matter, March 1, 1888.*

### OUR CLUB OFFERS.

Every subscriber, new or old, who pays one full year in advance, will receive free for one year *The American Farm News.*

THE COLUMBIAN and the *Philadelphia Weekly Times* for one year for $1.40.

THE COLUMBIAN and the *New York World* twice a week, for $1.75. This is a great combination, one of the best we ever offered. The twice a week *World* contains twelve pages of the news of the world. It is the best value ever offered for the money. Try it. tf.

10 per cent off all suits purchased at Gidding & Co's. Saturday June 22.

The Lavelle Fair will be held on September 10, 11, 12 and 13.

Bicycle hose—25 cts. at J. M. Gidding & Co.

J. S. Williams sold a property for Mrs. Dr. Willits to Thos. C. Snyder on Wednesday, for $1025.

Among the royal visitors to the Sands & Astley shows, when in Europe, was the Empress of Austria and the Emperor William.

Charles Cadman of this town, and Miss Minnie McBride of Rohrsburg were married by Guy Jacoby Esq., last Friday.

The celebrated Wauken-hose.
J. M. GIDDING & Co.

History repeats itself. The Moloch of old is reproduced in the modern trolley car which is daily grinding up young children.

The Sands & Astley show is an innovation in circus and zoological displays. The entire exhibition is a succession of novelties and original features.

Norman Young of Benton was committed to jail last Friday by Elwood Knouse, constable of Benton, on a charge of assault and battery, and threatening to kill his wife and child.

Negligee shirts—98cts.
J. M. GIDDING & Co.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. James T. Farnsworth of Rupert, for the marriage of their daughter, Armina, to Eugene Kriebal Shultz, on Wednesday, June 26th, at half past six o'clock in the evening.

At Gidding & Co. a bicycle suit $4.98.

The Normal boys defeated the Bucknell University nine of Lewisburg last Saturday by a score 10 to 6. This is the last game of the season. The Normal team has won three games and lost three.

White vests from a dollar up.
J. M. GIDDING & Co.

An exchange says that tramps held up a newspaper man in Binghamton the other night. The editor offered them his subscription book and was willing to allow them a commission on collections. Newspaper men are never robbed of money except by delinquent readers.

Negligee shirts—98cts.
J. M. GIDDING & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sterling have sent out invitations for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Margaret, to Mr. George W. Verdy, of the Cummings & Verdy Co. It will take place at the bride's home on West Third Street, on Thursday evening, June 27th at half past six o'clock.

Bicycle hose—25cts. at J. M. Gidding & Co.

Endless variety of straw hats.
GIDDING & Co.

Negligee shirts—98cts.
J. M. GIDDING & Co.

C. A. Kleim has placed a new soda water fountain in his drug store.

The best equestrain gymnic, and athletic talent in the circus profession is represented in the great Sands & Astley shows.

A new trial has been refused by the court in Philadelphia in the libel suit of W. B. Smith against *The Times.* The verdict was for $45,000.

Endless variety of straw hats.
GIDDING & Co.

The zoological department of the great Sands & Astley shows contains a marvelous array of seldom seen wild beasts, birds and reptiles.

Manager Holmes can make an engagement with the Princess Bonnie Company for October 29th if he can get assurance of sufficient patronage to warrant him in doing so.

Oliver, son of W. H. Mensinger, of Mainville, was drowned while in bathing on Sunday afternoon. His age was seventeen years, and he was a promising young man.

Belts—leather and white duck, at Gidding & Co.

William Ferguson bought the property of Samuel H. Harman, corner of Seventh and Catharine streets, on Monday for $2250. The sale was made through J. S. Williams, auctioneer and real estate agent.

10 per cent off all suits purchased at Gidding & Co's. Saturday June 22.

The Sands & Astley's is truly a "Great World Show." It contains performers and attractions from every country on the face of the globe.

Under the auspices of the Patriotic Order Sons of America, of Northern Columbia County, there will be a flag presentation to the Public Schools of Rohrsburg, on Saturday, June 22nd. at 1 o'clock p. m. Rev. D. E. Rupley, Prof. Miller and others will deliver stirring addresses on that occasion.

The celebrated Wauken-hose.
J. M. GIDDING & Co.

The members of the graduating class of the High School, the Alumni, the Directors, teachers, and a few others participated in a banquet at Mrs. Phillips last Friday night after the commencement exercises. Songs, recitations and speeches helped to enliven the occasion.

White duck pants at Gidding & Co.

The P. O. S. of A. of Espy, will hold a grand festival on the school house grounds, known as Maple Grove, this Saturday evening. Ice cream, cake, straw berries, soda water, water ices, &c., will be served in great abundance. The Bloomsburg Cornet Band, and several other special attractions have been engaged for the evening.

Belts—leather and white duck, at Gidding & Co.

F. D. Dentler, who has been filling the position of traveling salesman for the Stearns Shoe Co., of Boston, has severed his connection with that house, and is now employed by T. E. Greacen of New York, in the same capacity. Mr. Dentler spent last week in that city completing arrangements for entering upon his new position. Frank is a first class salesman, handles only first class goods, and sells lots of them.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

## Don't Grope in the Dark.

We have bicycle lanterns from $1.00 to $5.00, bells from 25c. to $1.50, luggage carriers, whistles, cement, chain lubricant and everything a wheelman needs.

**A $150 Cleveland (good as new) $60.**

This is a bargain.

Call and see me and I will save you money.

**W. S. RISHTON,**

Opposite Post Office. Druggist.

### KIRKBY—KENT.

The marriage of Miss Emily Kent and the Rev. David N. Kirkby was celebrated at high noon in Grace Church on the Heights, which was handsomely decorated with a profusion of white blossoms, relieved by cut palms and foliage plants. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Kirkby of Rye, N. Y., father of the groom, assisted by the Rev. Chauncey B. Brewster, rector of the church and the Rev. J. Aspinwall of Washington, according to the impressive Episcopal ritual, the full choral service being used. The music was especially fine, Mr. Duncan, lately connected with Grace church, presiding at the organ. The bride was attended as maid of honor by Miss Thomas of New York. The best man was the Rev. Henry Kirkby of Buffalo, brother of the groom and the ushers were Arthur Lewis Kent, brother of the bride, and Harold A. Streator of Cleveland, cousin of the bride. The ceremony was followed by a wedding breakfast attended only by the bridal party and members of both families at the Mansion House, where the family of the bride have been living. The bride is the daughter of the late Edward Kent of Bay Ridge and the groom, who was for two years assistant at Grace church, has just been appointed rector of the Episcopal church at Bloomsburgh, Pa. The father of the groom, who is rector of the Episcopal church at Rye, is also well known in this city, having been connected with St. Ann's on the heights and Christ church. On their return from a brief tour the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Kirkby will take up their residence in Bloomsburgh.—*Brooklyn (N. Y.) Eagle.*

### NORMAL NOTES.

The examinations took place this week. The examining board is as follows: N. C. Shaeffer, Supt. of Public Instruction, E. O. Lyte, Prin. Minersville Normal, P. K. Buehrie, Supt. Lancaster, Joseph K. Gotwals, Supt. Norristown, Wm. T. Harpel, Supt. Shamokin, Ira Shipman, Supt. Northumberland Co., G. T. Cooper, Supt. Mifflin Co., W. D. Stienbach, Supt. Montour Co., Dr. Welsh, Prin. Bloomsburg Normal.

Dr. Welsh has been appointed upon the examining board that goes to the Indiana State Normal on June 25th.

The Senior reception last Friday night was a delightful one. It was held in the grove, which was lighted by two arc lights and Chinese lanterns. Music was rendered by the orchestra, and numerous amusements were provided. Dr. and Mrs. Welsh had the matter in charge, and all the arrangements were perfect. Refreshments were served at ten o'clock, and at eleven the party broke up.

The entire Senior class passed the examinations. Of the applicants for admission to the Junior class seventeen failed. Thirteen of this number attended other schools heretofore.

### OLD AND NEW WORLD.

CIRCUSES, MENAGERIES AND HIPPODROME PROMINENTLY ASSOCIATED.

Our readers will learn by reference to our advertising colums that Sands & Astley's New and Old World shows ar to exhibit here in Bloomsburg on Monday, July 1st. Comparatively few, however, who refer to the advertisement are aware of the fact that these shows have a history the most remarkable in amusement annals. This amusement enterprise is the outgrowth of the consolidation of two of the largest shows in existence, one an American, the other a British institution. In 1890 a jointure was made of Robt. Sands' great American circus and menagerie with Herbert Astley's grand English circus, hippodrome, menagerie, museum and curio exposition. The compact was made in the city of London, and after touring England, Ireland, and Scotland the united amusement venture crossed over to the continent and exhibited in France, Belgium, Switzerland, Holland, Germany, Russia, Turkey, Algiers, Egypt, China, Japan, the Sandwich Islands and is now touring the United States prior to visiting Central America, Mexico and South America. There is no show in past or present, that has traveled as many thousand miles, exhibited to such myriads of people or that has won a more exalted and enviable reputation.

The committee of W. C. No. 319 P. O. S. of A. having signed all leases and closed all contracts with Laurel Hill Park Association, and railroad officials for transportation to and from Scranton for picnic excursion on August 3, 1895, and having sole right to sell all kinds of refreshments excepting intoxicating drinks, and to run a regular eating house on said picnic grounds, do hereby ask all parties desiring to sell at said time to send their bids for same to H. M. Grotz, Secretary of Committee, or Joseph Miller, Chairman. All bids to be received not later than July 12. For further information correspond with Secretary or Chairman.

A remarkable fact connected with the coming Sands & Astley show is, that since 1890 they have been continuously traveling in Great Britain, the European Continent, Africa and Asia, and have never lost a man or animal.

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**SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTE**
Has stood the Test of Time
MORE SOLD THAN ALL OTHER BRANDS COMBINED

12-28-1y. K. & Co.

J. G. Wells has engaged E. H. Froelich of Harrisburg, an expert watch maker and hand engraver. All goods purchased of him are engraved free of charge.

White duck pants at Gidding & Co.

On June 1st notices were sent out from this office to over two hundred subscribers who owe from one dollar to eight dollars on subscription, the whole amounting to over a thousand dollars. Up to this time, in three weeks, responses have been received from *seven* of those so notified, and the amount paid in has been about one per cent. of the bills sent out. We dislike dunning through the paper, but we must say to those who have received such statements, that we want our pay. "Business is business." We can't live on wind.

As Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Dentler were driving down the Light Street road above town on Sunday evening, a hold-back strap broke, letting the buggy against the horse, and starting it on a run down the hill. When Mr. Dentler pulled on the reins it brought the buggy on the horse and so kept it going. On reaching Penn Street he turned the horse up there, but the curve was too short, and the buggy was upset, throwing both occupants out, but fortunately not injuring them. Mr. Dentler was a little lame next day, but is all right again now.

Harvey Jones of Espy was shot by his son Charles last Friday night by mistake. Charles had been attending lodge and when he returned home the family had retired. Soon after he entered a noise was heard on the roof, and supposing it was a burglar his father called to Charles, who told them to remain in bed until he got his gun. Mr. Jones got up and went into Charles' room and the latter returning, heard the noise in there and supposing it was the burglars, he fired, shooting his father in the thigh. The wound is not dangerous.

White vests from a dollar up.
J. M. GIDDING & Co.

We are quite convinced that the people of Bloomsburg fully appreciate not only the beauty of the place and its surroundings, but also its unsurpassed adaptability to the development and success of all modern forms of industries. But we have considerable doubt whether they have acquainted themselves with the several and separate plants—as the word is now used, in and around which the industries are developed. Railways and sidings and switches are reaching everywhere, and the hauling and receiving and transporting of manufactured articles and raw material is constantly going forward.

A visit to the Brick Manufactory of Wm. Ferguson is one of the curiosities of the town. Driven by steam, every brick made by the action of machinery and exact and perfect as to material and size, carried and dried and not handled unevenly, they are models. He can make 35,000 a day, and he has made a million this season, and all sold, and orders ahead for months. The plant is worth going to see, and an hour spent in the examination of the process will give the visitor several new ideas.

Very Satisfactory.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 14, 1895.
"I am very much pleased with the set of Hood's Paper Dolls, which are sent for one trade-mark from Hood's Pills and ten cents in stamps. Hood's Pills have proved very satisfactory and we have no hesitation in recommending them to our friends." Emma Siegrist, 334 McIlvaine St.

Hood's Pills cure sick headache.

There is one DRESS STAY that
Won't melt apart,
Can't cut through the dress,
Don't stay bent.
It is
BALL'S PEERLESS.
All lengths; all colors.
THE LEADER CO.

## H. J. Clark & Son.

Here is the Mecca of the Maiden and the Matron—the Mechanic and the Millionaire—a thousand articles that summer calls for in seasonable apparel for both sexes and all ages. The old saying that money talks is superseded now. Its the goods we have for sale that talk—that tell you of their worth and beauty and durability and style—that speak to you of their fitness for the season. They urge you on to examine them—to buy them, and we have made their prices so low that few resist their appeal.

### Black Dress Goods.

36 in. all wool crepon, former price 50c., at 39c.
38 in. all wool crepon, former price 75c., at 59c.
50 in. all wool serge, former price $1.00, at 75c.

### Cotton Dress Goods.

The greatest range of these we have ever shown. American dimities, 12½c. yd India dimities, 15c. yd. Imported dimities, 22c. yd. Royal Pelisses, 15 and 25c. yd. Fancy ducks, 12½c. yd. Best yard wide percales, 12½c. yd.

### White Dress Goods.

Almost anything you might desire in white dress goods.
White dimities, 12½c. yd. up.
White lawns, 9c. " "
Dotted swisses, 15c. " "
India stripes, 15c. "

### Embroideries and Laces.

Full lines of both in choice patterns, good materials, best of work on Swiss nainsook and cambric at littlest of prices.

### Ladies' Wrappers.

A full line of ladies' wrappers with full generous sleeves, well made, a good lawn wrapper, 5 inch ruffle around yoke at 85c. A choice dimity wrapper, full sleeves, 5 inch ruffle around yoke at $1.45.

Fans of all kinds. Silk mitts, black and colors. Kid gloves. White silk gloves. Kid curlers, 5c. dozen. See the 95c. Gloria silk umbrella. Ladies' neckwear. Lot outing flannels, 5c yd.

### Ladies' Separate Skirts.

Ladies' separate skirts, every one tailor made in latest styles, lined throughout.

Union cashmere skirts, $1.50 and $1.75. Plain brilliantines at $4.00. Figured brilliantines at $4.50. All wool serges at $4.00 Moire silks at $6.00.

### Ribbed Underwear.

A complete line of ladies' gentlemen's and children's.
Ladies' special vests 5c. Ladies' lisle vests, taped neck and arms, 29c. Ladies' taped neck and arm, maco vests, 10c.
Gentlemen's shirts and drawers, 25c. Best balbriggan shirts and drawers, gents' long or short sleeves, at 50c.

### Silks.

The best lines we have ever shown. 24 in. Taffetas, 75c., 22 in. wash silks, 33c. 27 in. lappet silks, 30c., 32 Florentine silks, 50c.

### Shirt Waists.

A new line to-day, all the latest. Shirt waist sets, 69c. up.

Best bay rum 39c. bottle. Colgates best extracts 25c. bottle. Oat meal soap (3 cakes in box) 12½c. box. Sheffield's dentrifice, 19c. instead of 25c. Windsor ties, new line—new prices—bamboo portieres, $1.25 each. Straw porch seats 6c. China tea pots 13c. The best values in telescopes and bags. See the telescopes at 75c. and $1.00. See the bags, all leather at $1.65. You want those handkerchiefs nicely embroidered at 2 for 25c. New line of belt buckles. New line of ribbons.

A full line of *Muslin Underwear* that is well made of good material and perfect fitting for the littlest of money. 720 ladies' ribbed vests at 5c. *No truck.*

H. J. CLARK & SON.

## I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

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## LEGISLATION FOR FARMERS.

With the exception of the revenue bill, which was defeated by the influence of the state administration and the corporations, the farmer element in the recent legislature has gone home well satisfied with what it got this session. The granger and alliance members of the house had a most formidable and solid organization and all the "agricultural legislation" that was passed was largely due to their efforts and strength.

The most effective showing of their influence was the creation of the state department of agriculture and the practical wiping out of the state board of agriculture, which has been in existence during the past fifteen years. The board is legislated out of existence by a clause in the general appropriation bill granting $2,000 to it for the next two fiscal years and which in addition says: "Provided, that no vacancies in the membership of the board shall hereafter be filled." This provision will knock out about one-half of the membership of the board between now and January 1, 1896. The other half will be out by January, 1897.

The leading grangers in the state, however, were careful not to show their hand openly in their efforts to annihilate the board of agriculture and create a department of agriculture. They even went so far as to urge upon the house appropriations committee the granting of $2,000 for the board, but they took good care to tack on the foregoing provision by which they give the board an opportunity to slide gracefully out of existence.

The trouble with the board was that most of the Republicans on the appropriations committee and the leading grangers throughout the state were and are opposed to it for political and other reasons. It is claimed that a majority of the members of the board are in favor of the repeal of the oleo law of 1885 and that they were forced to take a back track on that issue at their Fall meeting at Somerset last October by the vigorous fight made against them by the grangers.

Another objection to the board was that it not only was too extravagant in conducting the farmers' institutes, but that it used them for local and ulterior purposes. Two years ago the board was given $9,500 for the use of the institutes, while $7,500 has been granted to the new department of agriculture. It is claimed that the department will do more general and effective work with the smaller sum than the board did with $9,500. But, perhaps, the controlling reason for the annihilation of the board was the charge that it had gone too far into Democratic politics; that it had in fact been instrumental in aiding in the second election of Governor Pattison. This was the all-powerful argument against the existence of the board in the minds of the recent legislature and the Hastings administration.

The bill creating the department of agriculture was one of the first signed by Governor Hastings and Secretary Edge, who is at the head of the department, and is now organizing it. For the greater part of the offices there are over 600 applicants, but there is no opposition to Dr. J. T. Rothrock of West Chester, for forestry commissioner, and Dr. B. H. Warren, of the "bird book" fame, for economic zoologoist. Dr. Rothrock has been endorsed by the state forestry commission and the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Warren has the unanimous endorsement of the senate and the academy of natural sciences, Philadelphia. For state veterinary surgeon Dr. Leonard Pierson, head of the veterinary department of the University of Pennsylvania, will be named.

There is a large number of applicants for the appointment of deputy secretary, chief among them being William L. Nesbitt, of Northumberland; Gabriel Heister, of Dauphin; Joel A. Herr, of Clinton; A. C. Sisser, of Lackawanna, and Calvin Cooper, of Lancaster. The salary is $3,000 a year. Nesbitt is likely to be appointed. It is said that Senator Critchfield, of Somerset, is also a candidate, but he is a hold over senator and cannot be appointed to the office under the constitution.

Other legislation in the interest of the grangers was the act appropriating $25,000 to the state dairy and food commissioner and $5,000 for tobacco experimental stations. Two years ago $6,000 was appropriated for this purpose, the chief experiments being made at State college. York, Bradford and Lancaster are the counties this appropriation is to benefit.

Other measures asked for by the granger interests was the bill legalizing the dehorning of cattle and the Marshall act amending the oleo law so that one-half of the fine shall go to the use of the dairy and food commissioner instead of the informer. This amendment, it is believed, will put an end to the alleged system of blackmail carried on at Philadelphia and Pittsburg. Another bill in the interest of the farmers is that appropriating $212,000 to the State college. This proposition was bitterly opposed by Representative Lawrence and had it not been for the energetic work of grangers in both houses it would have been defeated.

It is interesting to note in connection with the success of the rural members this session the plans laid by the grangers to secure not only a firmer hold upon the legislature, but a widespread influence that will have effect in coming state Republican conventions. As the nomination of B. J. Haywood for state treasurer is assured there is no effort being made to dominate the next convention so far as candidates are concerned, but there are many grangers in harmony with Senator Cameron in his free silver sentiments, and they want the convention to keep very far away in its declarations from a "gold standard."—*Patriot.*


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LANCASTER, June 5.—If Governor Hastings approves the Garb bill its constitutionality will be tested at an early day with a case from this city. Miss Lena Wege is a teacher in the public schools of this city. She belongs to one of the most religious sects in this community who wear a peculiar garb.

She is an excellent teacher, and under the bill just passed is not eligible for re-election as a teacher unless she discards the peculiar garb she wears. The Board of School Directors do not want to lose the services of Miss Hege, and she will be re-elected unanimously at the meeting for the election of teachers this month. The members of the Board are aware that they violate this law by electing Miss Hege, and the expectation is that suit will be brought for the penalty provided and judgment entered against the Board of Directors. An appeal will be taken, and in that way the constitutionality of the law will be tested. The members of the Board are unanimous in their opinion that the law should be tested at an early day, and public sentiment in the community is behind the Board in the testing of the law.

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"Why."

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R. G. Dun & Co's. *Weekly Review of Trade* of last week says: "The tide of business is rising, even as it was falling just two years ago, with surprising rapidity. The gain has gone so far and so fast in some branches that the more conservative fear it may not be maintained. But the period of dullness which comes in each market after an unusual rise brings as yet nothing like a corresponding decline. Industries gain much, halt or fall back a little and then gain once more. The demand for consumption steadily increases as the employment and wages of the people increase. The demand for money expands. One serious question remains, whether the crops will be full enough to sustain a large business. But the worst reports to-day are better by far than the estimates recently current.

One of the curious things about the new Quay County is that it will be Democratic. The Wilkes-Barre Republican leaders concede that the Democrats will control it. This is one of the things that the Republicans elsewhere were not banking upon. Last fall the towns and townships in the new county gave William M. Singerly, for Governor, about 1200 majority. There is now a proposition to call it Coxe County, after the late ex-Senator Eckley B. Coxe, the great coal operator, of Drifton. He was a staunch Democrat, and, as the people will decide upon a name, they will probably vote in favor of one borne by a leading Democrat, rather than the astute head of the Republican forces.

Kansas is not crying calamity to any notable extent this year. On the contrary, reports of a fair measure of prosperity are made from all over the State. There is every promise of an unusually big peach and plum crop, and the apple and grape crops in several parts of the State promise to be phenomenal. Recent rains have stopped the wails that had begun to rise in some sections, and, altogether, the State seems cheerfully minded and fairly contented. Calamity howling don't pay.—*New York Sun.*


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## WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1895.

No member of the Cabinet ever made a more favorable impression upon his first appearance in Washington than Attorney General Harmon has. Every one who has had the pleasure of talking with him has been at once struck by his agreeable manner, quick grasp of subjects discussed, and general broadmindedness. If he doesn't make a model Attorney General those who have met him will be greatly surprised, particularly the newspaper men, who quickly size a public man up, and express their opinions of him to each other, if they do not always send them to their papers. Before buckling down to the business of the Department of Justice, Judge Harmon will return to Cincinnati for a few days, to put his private business in order. The financial opinion expressed by him is sound enough to be adopted by every good democrat. Said he: "I want the American dollar to be just as good as anybody else's dollar, and, with that qualification, I don't care what it is made of."

Speaking of ex-Secretary Whitney's published interview, Mr. Ira M. Davis, of Albany, N. Y., says: "It was Horatio Seymour who wrote to his friends when his name was mentioned in connection with Presidential nomination, 'but your candidate I cannot be: Now comes W. C. Whitney and tells the democrats that he cannot stand as their candidate in 1896. Mr. Whitney means every word he says, but if New York sends a delegation to the convention, instructed to cast her 72 votes for him, he will not then say nay. There never was a time in his life when W. C. Whitney refused to obey his party's call. He will not do so next year. I have the most implicit faith in Whitney, and believe that if nominated he will be elected. He is the strongest democrat in the country to-day." Lots of democrats are talking like Mr. Davis.

According to Hon. E. W. Durant, a democratic state Senator of Minnesota, now visiting Washington, the party that comes out the strongest for sound money is the party that will elect the next President. Discussing the subject he said: "Sound money will be the slogan in 1896. If the republicans should nominate a candidate on a free silver platform to be followed later by the democrat with a sound money platform and candidate, the latter would win overwhelmingly, and vice versa. I am a democrat, and yet I would vote the opposition ticket if our party were to declare for free coinage. Thousands of republicans would vote against the nominee of their party were he to stand as a champion of silver. If Mr. Cleveland were to run again he would get republican votes by the thousands, for the people have tried him and know where he stands. This is purely a business proposition, and the business men of the country are going to look after it, without regard to political affiliation." Mr. Durant is himself a successful business man.

The Georgia delegation which visited Washington for the purpose of inviting President Cleveland and the cabinet to attend the Atlanta Exposition returned home in a very good humor. President Cleveland and every member of the cabinet who was in Washington accepted the invitation and will visit the exposition during the latter part of October, unless important public business shall prevent. President Cleveland complimented the Georgians very highly on the energy they have displayed in working for the success of the exposition.

Secretary Olney's first move as Secretary of State was an important one. He believes that the United States should do just as it would insist that other countries should do under similar circumstances. Therefore on account of representations made by the Spanish minister he ordered the Cruiser Raleigh to proceed to Florida waters and to remain there until further orders for the purpose of preventing fillibustering parties going over to cuba. It is altogether probable that Secretary Olney, like most other Americans, sympathizes with the attempt of the Cuban revolutionists to throw off the yoke of Spain, but his personal sympathies have nothing to do with his official duties. The United States is at peace with Spain and it is the duty of its government to exercise all due diligence to prevent the departure of armed bodies of men from its ports to make war upon Spain; hence the President's proclamation.

President Cleveland has cleared his desk and will, probably before this letter is printed, join his wife and children at Gray Gables, where he will spend the hot weather. He will be in telegraphic communication with Washington and will attend to all public business requiring his personal attention, just the same as if he remained at the White House.


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## FURNISHED FLATS TO RENT.

**A Recent Variation in the Real Estate Business in New York.**

A recent variation of the real estate business in New York has been the putting upon the market of furnished flats. Household furniture suitable for the requirements of ordinary flats is now abnormally cheap. The big Michigan concerns have almost revolutionized the furniture business, and it is possible to equip a small flat at almost nominal cost. Some enterprising individuals, taking advantage of this, hire from a landlord either a whole house or so many of its flats as may be vacant, for the term of a year or more. The house or the flats are furnished in cheap but substantial style, and then tenants are advertised for with the result that it is often easy to secure them for furnished apartments where unfurnished flats would be a drug in the real estate market.

There is a large Bohemian class in New York made up in part or artists, singers and actors, who have occasion to remain here for perhaps a month or two at a time, seldom longer and a furnished flat meets with nearly all their requirements. Again there are many persons who have not money enough to furnish a flat as they would like, but who do not object to paying an additional sum per month for a flat already furnished.

The new system has both its good and bad features. Many disorderly persons seeking the protection which a flat gives them, and which they could not receive or expect either in a hotel or in ordinary furnished rooms, pay liberal prices for a furnished flat in a building where no embarrassing questions are asked and no troublesome regulations are established. The great majority of the new furnished flats of this order are in the central part of town, and they yield to the real estate speculators a very large profit upon the money invested in furniture and fixtures.

Among the good features of the present furnished flat system is to be put at the head the item of protecting from breakage. It is an old saying that three removals are as bad as a fire, but actually they are a great deal worse, for against loss by fire there is gradually some recompense from insurance, whereas from losses by breakage in moving there is none. The damage to furniture, more especially to the fragile ornaments which are a familiar part of every New York flat is very great, and this item amounts to considerable in a year to those of a roving or dissatisfied spirit—something not unusual among the tenants of small flats in this city.

A familiar figure in many of the cheaper flats in New York is the installment plan collector, who is a frequent and unwelcome visitor. Persons furnishing their own flats on the installment plan are haunted by the spectacle of this callous and unsympathetic intruder, whereas those who hire flats already furnished are freed from the annoyance. In some parts of the city where the competition for flats is no longer active, landlords have found it profitable to furnish their own flats. The system of furnished flats is a natural outgrowth of real estate conditions in New York, and it is claimed by real estate agents that it pays very well.—New York Sun.

**Surprised the Old Man.**

Richard Roe deposited $705 in the Bowery Savings Bank between 1835 and 1849. Between 1835 and 1855, $753.89 was withdrawn. When the last draft was made the depositor's book appeared to be overdrawn $1. There were due Roe, at that time, however, dividens amounting to $100.01, which had not been entered in his passbook, and the bank really owed him a balance of $99.01.

The balance went on accumulating dividends until 1875, when it became a dormant account, and ceased to draw interest. The amount then due Roe was $343.25. Efforts were made without success to find him. He had become very poor, was too old and feeble to go to work again, and was given a home by his sons at Rutherford, N. J.

Roe always intended to repay the $1 he thought he owed, but never did so. President Townsend, of the Bowery Savings Bank, in looking over the books the other day came across Roe's account. A new search was instituted and Roe was found at Rutherford. He was told to call at the bank with his old account books. Shortly afterwards he did so, accomcanied by his granddaughter, seventeen years old.

"I suppose it's about the dollar I owe your bank that you want to see me," said the old man, addressing Mr. Townsend. He was astonished when told the facts.

"Guess these bank people know what's right," he said to his granddaughter. "I never was much on 'rithmetic."

He pocketed the $345.25, shook hands with the bank officials and returned home.—New York World.

**"Hermit on the Sonnblick."**

A Vienna correspondent writes to the London Standard that the famous Peter Leshner, the "Hermit of the Sonnblick," whose solitary residence of seven years at an altitude of over ten thousand feet in charge of the observatory instruments on that mountain, was described some time ago, is dead. He married in January, 1894, and soon afterwards quarreled with the Vienna Committee which supports the Observatory, and was dismissed. He took to the profession of a mountain guide at Rauris, but was always in low spirits. His European notoriety caused him to look down upon the guides, peasants and foresters, who were his daily companions, and he soon came to be detested by all his neighbors.

**Ear and Nose Jewels.**

According to an old Spanish history of the conquest of New Grenada, the wearing of ear and nose jewels was a privilege of rank among the natives. This was generally the case among all savage tribes, and its prevalence is the scientific reason for the atavism which leads American woman to pierce their ears for rings long after they have abandoned the practice of sticking a pin through their noses to indicate their high standing in society.

## LIBRARIES OF THE WORLD.

**New York's Position Should the Proposed Consolidation Be Effected.**

It has been assumed by some persons that the proposed consolidation of the Astor and Lenox libraries with the Tilden Library would assure to New York a library larger than that possessed by any other city. This is a mistake. The Astor Library, incorporated in 1849, has 250,000 volumes; the Lenox Library, incorporated in 1870, has 70,000 volumes, and the bequest of Mr. Tilden, it is computed, would permit the purchase of 200,000 volumes without duplicating the books in the possession of either the Astor or the Lenox Library. This would bring the total of books in the throne institutions to 520,000. But the Paris Library, which, in respect of the number of volumes, stands at the head of all others, has now 2,100,000 books The Imperial Library in St. Petersburg has 1,000,000 and the Munich Library has 810,000. The Royal Library in Berlin has 800,000 and the Dresden Library 525,000, so that New York, under the proposed consolidation, would rank seventh as compared with European cities.

At the present time New York does not rank high for libraries, even among the cities of the United States. The Boston Public Library, started by the benefactions of Joshua Bates, a Boston banker, who lived in London, and aided afterward by George Peabody, has 597,000 books. Mr. Bates' contribution was $50,000, and the cost of the land and building of the Boston Library Library was $365,000. The Chicago University has a library of 380,000 volumes. The Newberry Library, on the north side near Lincoln Park, has 175,000 volumes. Both are exceeded by the Congressional Library in Washington, established in 1802. It contains 395,000 volumes and 150,000 pamphlets, and the present rate of increase is 15,000 volumes and 5,000 pamphlets a year. One of the boasts of the conductors of this library, richer than any other in American books and books on American subjects, is that it is one of the very few fireproof libraries in the world.

Following New York, should the proposed consolidation be effected, among the libraries of Europe would come the Royal Vienna Library, 450,000 volumes; Copenhagen Library, 400,000, library of the Vatican in Rome, 350,000, and the library of Oxford University 300,000, besides many valuable manuscripts. The importance and utility of a library is not, of course, to be gauged wholly by the number of books on its shelves. A well-assorted and judiciously made collection of 200,000 may be of much greater value than a collection of 2,100,444 indiscriminately chosen. In Europe much importance is attached to various editions of a standard work, whereas in the United States editions count for little; it is the book itself which is regarded.

New York may not stand as high as some foreign cities in respect to the total number of books in any one library, but, on the other hand, the opportunities for general reading are very widely diffused. The Mercantile Library has 240,000 books, the New York Historical Library 100,000, the New ork Society Library 90,000, the Columbia College Library 160,000, the Maimonides Library 40,000, the Cooper Union Library 35,000, the Young Men's Christian Association 42,000, and the oung Men's Christian Association 42,000, and the Mechanics' and Tradesmen's Library 95,000.

There are in all the libraries of the world—exclusive of private libraries and book store collections—40,000,000 volumes. In 1845, exactly half a century ago, the number of volumes in all the public libraries of the world was 20,000,000, so that in the last half century the number of books may be said to have doubled. This increase is in great measure due to the remarkable cheapening in the cost of bookmaking. Incidentally this cheapening has served to retard the growth of circulating libraries, for when a novel which costs $1.25 can now be purchased for twenty-five cents, the incentive to subscribe to a circulating library is much reduced.—New York Sun.

**Mrs. Greeley's Discipline.**

"While I have the floor," said Amos Cummings, while in a story-telling mood the other day, "I might as well tell a story about Horace Greeley. I worked with Greeley for years. He always called me 'Asa,' never could remember 'Amos.' One day I went out to see Greeley at Chappaqua about some newspaper business. The old gentleman saw me coming as he stood looking out of the window, and opened the door himself.

"'Come in here, Asa,' he said, in his high, mealy tones, as he led me into a fashion of parlor.

"I followed him into the room, and as I was going to remain only a moment laid my hat, gloves and cane on a centre table. Greeley and I had just immersed ourselves in a talk when Mrs. Greeley swept into the room Now, Mrs. Greeley was what one might call a spirited woman. The moment she entered the door her eyes fell indignantly on my trousseau as I'd piled it up—hat, gloves and stick—on the table. Without a word, and before I could speak to her, she wooped on the outfit like a hawk, and the next moment threw them out of the window.

"Then she left the room, without pausing for speech, as one who had taught somebody that the hall was the place for hats and canes and similar bric-a-brac. I was inclined to get a trifle hot; a man naturally might who sees his hat pounced upon and cast into the shrubbery. But before I could get up or say a word Greeley stretched out his hand in a deprecatory way and cheered me with the remark.

"'Never mind her, Asa; she thought they were mine.'

"Afterward, however," concluded Cummings, "when I recalled what Greeley's hat used to look like I had my doubts."

**Dandelion Tonic.**

Steep the roots of dandelions slowly for three hours in enough water to cover them; press all of the water from it through a colander, return the liquid to the fire and boil it down one-third. Dosa, a wineglassful every morning for 10 days or two weeks.

## MAN'S NERVE.

**Many Not Trained for War Have Lots of Cool Courage.**

Miss Clara Barton, the famous army nurse and director of the Red Cross Society, said the other day: "I have often wondered where the cool courage of men comes from; where common ordinary men, trained to do nothing like war, get their nerve; where strangers to firearms, strangers to foes, strangers to everything warlike, find the courage to face death as bravely as soldiers did during the war. There were men, perhaps no more cowardly than others, who from sensitiveness of temperament, suffered more. I do not think mere brute daring is the highest sort of courage, but one who had the experience that I did among soldiers would readily recognize that there is a great deal more moral force in courage than physical."

I asked Miss Barton if she ever knew a soldier during the war to die of homesickness.

"That is a question by itself," she replied. "Homesickness, or nostalgia, is a most important factor in the treatment of the sick in hospitals. While of itself it may not be quite sufficient to kill, it no doubt complicates other conditions. When a soldier, or any person, gets homesick, it destroys the natural inclinations and functions, and it may destroy the appetite. Even an animal may be so homesick that it will not and cannot eat. Thus the foundation is laid for other diseases. Something else sets in and produces a permanent or fatal illness. Now, homesickness is the cause of that. A soldier may be attacked with something else without realizing that he is homesick at all. He is all right when he is running around with the boys but if he takes cold and gets sick or some disease attacks him and he finds himself down he begins to think of home, and then nostalgia follows. It either produces illness or aggravates it. Now, the one important remedy for such illness is to send that soldier home. I cannot say that I ever saw a soldier die of nostalgia, but the reason that I didn't was that wherever I discovered that disease was likely to work mischief I urged all the power I had upon every authority I could reach to furlough the patient. When a man is extremely homesick he has no desire to live and then no matter how skilled the surgeon he cannot save him. It is impossible."—Chicago Record.

**An Independent Lawyer.**

A lawyer with his client called one day at the office of a gentlman who is considered to be one of the leading men of the Philadelphia bar. The lawyer had an important case and he wanted to take the legal big gun in as adviser. He explained his business and said he and the client would be back in the afternoon. "I won't be here then," said the legal giant. "I have an engagement at 3 o'clock and I won't be here after that hour." "But there is a $5,000 fee in this for you," explained the younger lawyer. "Can't help it; I won't be here. You will have to come to-morfow."

"But my client can't come to-morrow."

"Well, I can't break my engagement." said the senior. After some further talk it was agreed that a meeting be held that night. That afternoon, having nothing else to do the young lawyer and his client went to a ball game. The first man they saw inside the grounds was the great lawyer, who was hurrahing for the "Phillies" with all the vigor of his lungs. That was his important engagement. Needless to say the lawyer's practice nets him enough money each year to make him independent.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

**Portable Writing Pad.**

A portable writing-pad that will prove a never-failing source of delight to the fair summer traveller has for a foundation a piece of stiff pasteboard made to fit the top of an ordinary table. To this is attached a strip of green felt, with pendant ends pinked around the edge, and to each end is stitched a cross-piece of felt divided into sections, serving as receptacles for the disposition of writing paper and unanswered letters. To the pad proper strips of felt of varying sizes for the reception of envelopes, postal-cards and all the essentials of ordinary correspondence are fastened with small brass-headed tacks; while for securing the blotting-pad four three-cornered pieces of felt are nailed at the right distance apart. For the safe-keeping of the ink bottle a narrow strip of cardboard, covered with felt, is joined round and sewn to the cover, a similar contrivance being conveniently placed for the reception of the penwiper.

**The Lake of Blood.**

Every polar expedition and whaling vessel which visits the Baffin Bay region puts in at Yaureke Bank, so as to allow explorers and seamen to visit the celebrated Lake of Blood. Of it the author of "My Summer in the North" says: "It is a lake of considerable extent, lying only a few feet above the level of the sea, and appears of a deep dark blood red. * * * Careful examination proved, however, that the water itself was as pure and clear as possible; the red effect being due to the fact that the bottom and sides of the lake, as well as the few stones which were scattered about in it, were coated most perfectly with the red snow plant. In some places, where the water had evaporated, the withered red plants on the soil and rocks looked exactly like dried spots of blood."

**An Actor's Mistake.**

An amusing story was told some years ago of E. A. Sothern, a famous wit and actor. Upon a certain evening he was invited to two entertainments, one for children, and the other a reception for grown people. Fond of children, Sothern decided to go to the party given for the little ones, and thinking it would be a great joke to go into the parlor on all fours and roaring like a bear, he did so, much to the amusement of the guests, and his own subsequent unhappiness, for once in the middle of the room he looked up and saw that he had made a mistake in the house, and had played bear for the grown people and not for the children.—Harper's Young People.

**The Starfish.**

There are several pretty creatures who live in the water, and are classed as "fishes," yet who do not look like the fishes we usually know. One of the most common and familiar of them is the starfish.

There are several kinds of starfish, some of them being very beautiful, with long, feathery arms. The common starfish, which you have doubtless seen, is a five-pointed creature, his shape, of course, giving him his name. These fishes are soft and flabby while living, but when dead and dried they present a brittle and shell-like appearance. They vary in size, from tiny creatures an inch across to twelve and fourteen inches in size, or perhaps much larger, but this size is that ordinarily found on near-by coasts.

The starfish manages to walk along the land by the aid of numbers of tiny feet on the under part of its body. It not only walks easily, but is said to stand up occasionally on one of its points and survey the scenery, but as we have never seen a starfish do that we cannot vouch for the fact.

Starfish, so naturalists tell us, live upon mollusks, and are specially fond of oysters. But when the oyster declines to come out of his shell, in order to provide a dinner for Mr. Starfish, that gentleman has a way of taking him whether the oyster wishes to come or not. Our naturalist says:

The starfish lays himself down on his victim, and, folding his five arms about it, holds it firmly in place. Then he gradually pushes his stomach out through his mouth, and wraps it around the unfortunate oyster. Whether some fluid of the stomach forces the shell open is not known. But the result is the securing of a dinner for the starfish, and the death of the oyster." One of the peculiarities of the the starfish is that a new arm grows whenever one is destroyed. Even if half the fish be destroyed, the missing part will be replaced, as good as ever.

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Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of A. J. Evans, late of Bloomsburg, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned executors, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

ANDREW L. FRITZ,
ANDREW EVANS,
Executors.

FRITZ, Atty.
6-14-6t.

### AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of Margaret Kusteabauder, deceased.*

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to make distribution of said estate, will sit at the office of Rhawn & Small, in the borough of Catawissa, on Monday, June 24th, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

FRED IKELER, Auditor.

5-24-ta.

### AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of Thomas Davis, deceased.*

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to make distribution in said estate, will sit at the office of L. S. Wintersteen, Esq., in Bloomsburg, on Tuesday, June 25, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

FRANK IKELER, Auditor.

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### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of Rev. M. Powers, late of the Borough of Centralia, deceased.*

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Rev. M. Powers, late of the Borough of Centralia, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

REV. JOHN J. KOCH,
Shamokin, Pa.,
Administrator.

5-17-6t.

### AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of Phineas Smith, deceased.*

The undersigned an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of said estate will sit at his office in Berwick, on Saturday, July 13th, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

C. B. JACKSON,
Auditor.

6-17-3t.

### AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of Joseph Eck, deceased.*

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to determine the amount of recognizance, counsel fee, collateral inheritance tax, and costs, and to make calculation of amounts due the parties legally entitled thereto, will sit at the office of C. C. Evans, Esq., in Berwick, Pa., on Wednesday, June 26th, 1895, when and where all parties having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

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After bearing the burden in silence for forty years of a double murder, Mrs. Hettie Good, an old woman, when confronted with terrors of death, confessed to the crime committed in her youth. Mrs. Good lived in Bowmansville, a small place near Lancaster, and was sixty five years of age. No shadow of suspicion had ever rested upon her. For several years past Mrs. Good has been slowly dying of consumption and on Monday of last week she cut her throat. Her attempt at suicide, however, was a failure, and Mrs. Good then asked that William Griffiths, who formerly lived at Bowmansville, but now a resident of Mohnsville, Berks county, be sent for.

Griffiths is said to have been Mrs. Good's lover forty years ago and to have been the father of her illegitimate child. Griffiths obeyed the summons of his old sweetheart and to him Mrs. Good confessed that she had beaten out their baby's brains and buried it in the yard of her house.

The unnatural crime of infanticide was not the only one that rested upon Mrs. Good's conscience. On Tuesday she sent for the Rev. John Horning, a Mennonite preacher of Bowmansville, and confessed that she had killed her grandmother, Mrs. Hutchinson by means of poison. Mrs. Good said that the crime had been committed with the full knowledge and consent of her grandfather, Mrs. Hutchinson's husband, as the woman was old and decrepit and in the way.

After making her confession of her grandmother's murder, Mrs. Good grew rapidly worse and died last Friday. The woman's grandfather, whom she accused of being a partner with her in the death of his wife, died several years ago.

### A Notable Amusement Combination.

The old world has been ringing the praises to Sand's & Astley's Enormous Old and New World Railroad Shows which has visited in Europe during its present grand tour around the world. Since its arrival in America the press of the United States is laden with panegyrics and the opinion that it is head and shoulders above all other tented exhibitions seems to be unanimous. The circus department, we are told, presents an unusual number of meritorious acts and the grand double menagerie contains a large number of rare beasts, birds and reptiles. The hippodrome is said to be the most realistic and the curio department unusually attractive. These shows are to be here Monday, July 1st.

### Dawes Out of Jail.

Joseph H. Dawes was discharged from the Columbia County prison a week ago Thursday under the insolvent laws. Judge Ikeler reduced the fine from $100 to $15 upon the recommendation of a number of prominent citizens, in addition to a very large petition from Centralia, his home. The leniency shown Dawes in the withdrawal of the charge of forgery by the representatives of the United Mine Workers Association, was upon the assurance from the District Attorney and the attorney of Dawes that he would serve three months, that he would resign from the board and hand over all papers in his possession. Not any of these promises have been kept, and in any cases in the future the plea for mercy will not be heeded as no mercy was shown the poor workingmen.—*Mt. Carmel Item.*

We are informed that there was no such assurance given by the District Attorney and the counsel for Dawes, as that above stated. Nor was the change in the sentence made at the request of Dawes' counsel nor by consent of the District Attorney. A lengthy petition was presented to the court asking for a modification of Dawes' sentence, on the last day of the term, and as the movement was headed by those most active in prosecuting him, the petition was granted. We are further informed that Dawes has sent in his resignation.

While in the Baltic sea last season the Sands & Astley show narrowly escaped shipwreck.

### Why Independence Day is Celebrated on July Fourth.

Did you ever hear how it happened we celebrate July fourth rather than some later day? For days the members of Congress had differed over the terms of the Declaration. As the hot summer weeks progressed, windows were opened, much to the delight of the mosquitoes and flies of a neighboring stable. The stockinged calves of congressional legs were assailed daily by the diminutive combatants, until at last the persistency of the most stubborn member was worn out on the fourth day of July. "Now that the struggle was over the members became hilarious in their good nature," John Hancock dashed down his great signature in such shape "that George the Third might read it without his spectacles." "Now we must hang together," it was remarked "Yes," said Franklin, "or we shall hang separately."—*From "Colonial Philadelphia," in Demorest's Magazine for July.*

### Married.

On Tuesday the 18th of June at the home of the bride by the Rev. Isaac M. Patterson, C. E. Smith to Miss Mary E., daughter of J. H. Creveling.


# RUIN AND MISERY

WHAT WILL BECOME OF THE YOUNG MEN OF THE DAY?

Cigarette smoking is one of the evils which is fast increasing among the young men of the period. It is an age of nervousness; nervous excitement, nervous weakness and debility is the growing malady of the day. Minds are over-burdened in school, the pleasures of social life follow business worry; intemperance, sexual excesses or abuses over excite the already enfeebled nerves and result in exhausting diseases or drains upon the nervous system.

It's a drag and a handicap to every young man to be a sufferer from nervous debility or weakness, low spirits, irritable temper, impaired memory, loss of will-power, and the thousand and one derangements of mind and body that result from pernicious habits often contracted through ignorance of nature's laws. The wreck of constitution, weakened vitality and manly power, following such habits would be a sorry ending to life in this splendid age of learning and labor. It will fast become an age of unsettled brains and shattered nerves unless our young men *know themselves.*

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### WILLIAM L. MANNING.

PRESIDENT OF BRIGHTON VILLAGE, NEW YORK, AND FORMERLY OF THIS COUNTY, IS NOT AFRAID TO TALK IN COURT.

We have received a copy of the *Union and Advertiser*, of Rochester, N. Y., under date of June 15, which contains an excellent picture of William L. Manning, President of Brighton Village. He is a handsome man, in the prime of life, and his friends here are proud to know of the record he has made since leaving Columbia county. His former home was in Jackson township, and his wife is a daughter of the late Judge Iram Derr. He is a brother of H. D. Manning of this town. The subject of this notice has been serving on the grand jury in his county, and we clip the following from the paper above named, in connection therewith. Will never was afraid to say what he thought on any subject. The *Union and Advertiser* says:

The grand jury, which had been in session since May 6th, an unusually long term rose yesterday afternoon, as stated in an extra edition of yesterday's *Union*, and presented a number of open as well as fifteen sealed indictments.

Justice Werner looked over the indictments and asked the jury if it had any further business to consider. Foreman Eddy replied in the negative. Then Juror W. L. Manning of Brighton rose and said:

"I do not know as I have any right to deviate from the action taken by the members of this jury, but I wish to say that I regret that certain parties whose cases have been brought before us have not been indicted. I believe they should have been indicted and held for trial. I refer to the cases of the gamblers which have been before this jury."

Mr. Manning called upon District Attorney Forsyth and asked him if he did not think his statement was correct.

The district attorney said that since his opinion was called for, he would state that in his opinion there had been sufficient evidence before the grand jury to warrant the indictment of the gamblers.

Mr. Manning continued: "I am sorry that the business associations of certain members of this jury were such as to lead them to look lightly upon criminals of this class."

Justice Werner said: "I sincerely regret that there has been a difference of opinion among the members of the grand jury on one of the matters that was of such importance. The evidence that was before the jury is not before the court, and the court cannot therefore pass upon it. I suppose that a sufficient number of the members of the jury has voted upon this matter to render it lawfully binding so far as this jury is concerned. What the juror has said about the sufficiency of evidence to warrant an indictment is corroborated to some extent, and under the circumstances the only thing I can do is to direct that the matter be again referred to the next grand jury."

The following letters are advertised June 18, 1895. Mr. E. H. B. Abbett, Asher S. Hile, John Keifer, Mr. Harry Long, Miss Lizzie J. Minnich, Miss Jennie E. Ohl, Miss Leola Welliver, Mr. W. S. Wintersteen. Will be sent to the dead letter office July 2, 1895. JAMES H. MERCER, P. M.

The unusual and exalted prominence in the amusement world of Sands & Astley's shows, and the announcement of the coming visit of that organization, is interesting our community young and old.

### SMITH—HARTER.

On Tuesday afternoon June 18th a quiet and pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Dr. T. C. Harter, by the Rev. H. Brandt, pastor of Trinity Reformed Church. The contracting parties were Mr. Albert Smith of Briggsville, Pa., and Miss Lucinda H. Harter of Chicago, Ill., sister of Dr. Harter. After the ceremony a sumptuous repast was served, and the happy couple went on their way rejoicing. They have the best wishes of their many friends and acquaintances for a long and prosperous life.

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### LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE

FOR JULY, 1895

The complete novel in the July issue of *Lippincott's* is "A Social Highwayman," by Elizabeth Phipps Train, author of "The Autobiography of a Professional Beauty." It is a tale of New York society with a hero in whom accomplishments and virtues were incongruously joined with highly objectionable habits—a sort of urban and modernized Robin Hood.

Francis Lynde furnishes a tale of the west, "The Strike in Pinon Gulch;" Will N. Harben one of the south, "Matt Digby's Meddling," and Lieu. Charles Dudley Rhodes one of the army, "The Recall of Flathers." Yet shorter stories are "McGheoghan's Lapse," by the late Prof. Willis Chamberlin, and "From Four to Five," by C. K. E.

Charles Morris gives an account of "The Railroad Invasion of Asia;" J. Kumpei Matumoto explains the mysteries of "The Tea Ceremony of Japan," and Alvan F. Sanborn describes "The Great Market of Paris."

"The whole duty of Woman, as understood by Man in the Fourteenth Century," is an interesting paper by Emily B. Stone, with quotations, which read somewhat jocosely now, from documents of that age. As a pendant to this, Prof. H. H. Boyesen has a lively and extremely modern article on "The New Womanhood."

"Our National Extravagance" is exposed and deplored by Frances Courtenay Baylor. Under the heading, "Fact in Fiction," Frederic M. Bird gives reasons for thinking that the two are best apart, verisimilitude, not verity, being what is wanted in fictitious narratives.

The poetry of the number, besides couplets by Grace F. Pennypacker and Calvin Dill Wilson, is by Celia A. Hayward, Juliet V. Strauss, and Clinton Scollard.

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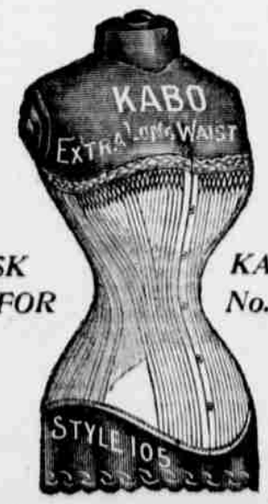


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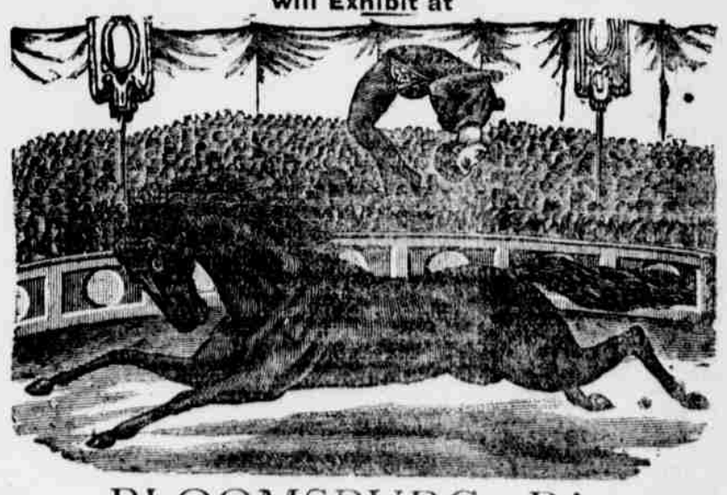

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